

MRS. JENNIE MILLER
Final rites for Mrs. Jennie Miller, 90, longtime Hope resident who died Tuesday, were held Thursday at Garrett Memorial Baptist Church by the Rev. Clyde Johnson. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery by Herndon Funeral Home.

MOSCOW (AP)—Abram Isakovich Alikhanov, 66, a pioneer Soviet nuclear physicist who helped develop the Soviet Union's first atomic bomb, died Tuesday. He directed the Institute of Theoretical and Experimental Physics in Moscow for nearly 20 years.

MOSCOW (AP) — Artem I. Mikoyan, 65, one of the designers of the Soviet MIG-class jet fighter planes, died Wednesday after a long illness. He was a brother of Anastas I. Mikoyan, a top Kremlin leader in the Stalin and Khrushchev days.

Guard Shot in Kidnaping Succumbs

By FRANCISCO SILVA
RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — Federal agent Helio Carvalho de Araujo, shot three times by the terrorists who kidnaped Swiss Ambassador Giovanni E. Bucher Monsay, died of his wounds early today.

His death is expected to harden the Brazilian government's bargaining attitude.

In addition, though the kidnapers have told the government they want as ransom 70 political prisoners to be flown to Algeria, Chile or Mexico, they failed to supply a list of the names of the prisoners as requested Wednesday by the government.

Also, the government says it has not received a letter written by the ambassador saying he is well and listing the demands of the abductors.

Ouachita Refuge Gets Approval

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. John L. McClellan, D-Ark., announced Wednesday that the Senate approved by voice vote his proposal to establish a National Wildlife Refuge above the Felsenthal Lock and Dam area on the Ouachita River.

McClellan said the refuge would contain about 65,000 acres of land and water acquired at a federal cost of \$10,500,000. He said the project has the support of the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, the Corps of Engineers and the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission and would be managed as a part of the National Wildlife Refuge system.

The senator said the project will produce a wide range of economic and recreational benefits and eliminate a bottleneck which has all but halted the Ouachita River navigation project.

Three Held for Possession of Drugs

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Police confiscated 248 doses of LSD, 5½ pounds of marijuana and two ounces of hashish Wednesday during a routine arrest for a traffic violation.

The drugs were found in the clothing of three Iowa men, one of whom had just returned from South Vietnam, according to Little Rock police Chief Gale Weeks.

Weeks identified the three as Thomas L. Parson, 21, and Martin J. Wines, 21, both of Des Moines, and Ralph Ramer, 23, of Nichols, Iowa. They were charged with possessing LSD and marijuana and jailed in lieu of \$10,000 bond each.

School to Ask Tax Increase

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Pulaski County School Board is to decide Saturday whether to recommend a three-mill tax increase to the district's voters in the March 9 school election.

The district now has a 55 mill tax rate with 20 mills going to operations and 35 mills to debt service. If the three-mill increase were approved, the money would go to debt service to help pay off a proposed \$4 million bond issue.

COMMUTERS (from Page One)

area alone, more than 145,000 daily commuters from the city's northern suburbs, New Jersey and Connecticut awoke today to face the problem of finding alternate transportation.

Bus rides and car pools were the prospect also for the estimated 140,000 persons who normally ride six major commuter lines into Chicago.

The Chicago Transit Authority planned to have all available buses and trains in operation and suburban bus lines were putting on extra coaches to carry passengers to CTA terminals on the city's outskirts.

In New York, state Public Service Commissioner Joseph C. Swidler signed an order Wednesday authorizing buses to operate off established routes and trucks to set up "through routes" to move vital materials.

The Connecticut State Transportation Department offered to assist local communities in setting up car-pool parking lots along major highways in that state and planned to increase the number of toll collectors to speed motorists on parkways.

Auto industry spokesmen estimated that the walkout could bring their industry to a halt in from 48 hours to "within a week."

The railroads are the primary means of shipping completed cars from factories and for the shipment of parts from fabricating plants to assembly plants.

The spokesmen said some major parts such as car frames are only shipped on specifically designed rail cars and could not easily be shifted to trucks even if the latter were available.

Picket Lines Set Up in Little Rock

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Railroad union members set up picket lines at 12:01 a.m. in the Little Rock-North Little Rock area virtually shutting down all rail service to the state.

One passenger train was sidetracked in Texarkana and another was stopped here. The trains, operated by Missouri Pacific Lines, are the only passenger trains operating in the state.

A spokesman said that the passengers on the train sidetracked in Little Rock continued to their destinations by bus.

Freight trains continued to the nearest terminal, an official said.

An official said that the pickets were orderly and that no incidents were reported.

The Mo Pac repair shop at North Little Rock was still operating after the strike went into effect, but a spokesman said the union members would probably honor the picket lines at 7 a.m. today.

SST Backers Make a Last Ditch Effort

By LAWRENCE L. KNUTSON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Die-hard supporters of a federally funded U. S. supersonic transport (SST) plane have mounted a last-ditch effort to revive their cause while Senate opponents are vowing to talk any compromise proposal to death.

Opponents say they have the strength to pack the SST in legislative mothballs and keep it dormant—at least until what they call worldwide environmental hazards are resolved.

Planning strategy on the eve of a House-Senate conference committee meeting, SST foes promised Wednesday to use Senate rules to open "extended debate" on the issue if the conferees, as expected, urge the program be continued at either full or reduced throttle.

Inaugural Parade Is Planned

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Mrs. Cal Ledbetter Jr. of Little Rock, chairman of a committee to handle details of Gov.-elect Dale Bumpers' inauguration Jan. 12, said Wednesday that an inaugural parade would be held. Bumpers appointed the committee to restore the festival quality of inaugurations that was abandoned during World War II.

Other events during the day will include some type of "cultural event," the inaugural ceremony on the Capitol steps, and a reception at the Capitol.

Miss Arkansas Speaks Eavesdropping



DONNA CONNELLY

The reigning Miss Arkansas, Hope's own Donna Connelly, provided the program for the annual Christmas Ladies Night meeting of Hope Kiwanis Club.

Miss Arkansas recounted some of the experiences that have been hers since embarking upon her reign, and told of some of her mixed feelings as she participated in the Miss America Contest in Atlantic City in September. She said that one in her position meets all kinds of people but that the great majority of those with whom she has come in contact have been of the very highest caliber.

She said that before going to the Miss America Pageant she had a preconceived idea that some of the girls would possibly be socialite snobs, but that she didn't find the slightest bit of this among the girls. They were all high type young women, many of whose lives are Christ centered.

After recounting some of her experiences and offering to answer any questions concerning the Miss Arkansas and Miss America Pageants, the charming and beautiful Miss Arkansas used her exceptionally talented voice in presenting a number of audience pleasing vocal selections.

Guests at this Kiwanis Ladies Night affair other than the "Kiwanisettes" were Mrs. Mike Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Crit Sturart, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. James W. Connelly, parents of Miss Arkansas.

NATO SPENDING (from Page One)

agreed to make a modest start on sharing more of the burden. They will increase their spending by \$1 billion over the next five years.

U.S. officials and congressmen have long complained about inequality. Of the total NATO outlay in 21 years the United States has spent almost three quarters: \$1,096,226,000. Much of this money, of course, has been spent in Asia, not in the Atlantic area.

The European share in the spending remains roughly what it was 21 years ago. Of the \$18.7 billion spent in 1949, the U.S. share was \$13.5 billion, or 72 per cent. At that time Western Europe was still almost prostrate economically as a result of World War II. Aid under the Marshall Plan was just beginning to flow in.

In 1970 the United States was spending \$76.5 billion of the total \$102.8 billion. Its share had risen to almost 74 per cent.

In the interval the European members had given up nearly all of their military spending outside Europe. They also became much more prosperous.

Only a small portion of the sums spent have actually been used by NATO as an organization. The bulk paid out by the national governments for national purposes, only loosely coordinated by the alliance.

Common Among U.S. Agencies

By JIM ADAMS
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — When you telephone any of 52 federal agencies, someone may be eavesdropping and at least nine agencies may not tell you about it, a House report says.

The nine agencies range from the supersecret Central Intelligence Agency to the Peace Corps, but not the FBI, the government's domestic investigation unit.

A report of the House government information subcommittee said the FBI and seven other agencies told the panel they prohibit monitoring citizens' telephone calls.

The 52 agencies have 4,790 "snooper buttons," the report said, only they don't like to call them that anymore.

The report said the buttons which cut out breathing and other noise for the person "listening in surreptitiously or otherwise" are now called push-talk switches.

The agencies also use 168 telephone conversation recording machines, 92 of them permanently wired into telephone circuits, the report said, and 147 attachments on phones to record or eavesdrop on conversations.

The listeners are usually secretaries, callers are usually told someone else is on the line and the avowed purpose of the widespread practice is simply to get straight the caller's request for information, said subcommittee Chairman John E. Moss, D-Calif.

"It remains a fact," Moss said, "that until the practice of monitoring is abolished, a citizen will never be able to know for sure to what extent or for what underlying motive he is unwittingly sharing his telephone calls with silent listeners."

The Navy leads the field in "snooper buttons" with 1,004, the State Department has 835 and the Defense Department 633, the report said, but most agencies have only a few.

While most agencies say they tell the caller he is being monitored, the report said, seven require the warning only if the conversation is being taken down word for word.

Besides the CIA and Peace Corps, these are Commerce and Treasury departments, Farm Credit Administration, Federal Reserve System and Canal Zone Government, the report said.

It said the Housing and Urban Development and Transportation departments are not required to disclose a secretary is listening if the conversation involves "national security."

The eavesdropping devices cost the taxpayers about \$137,000 a year, the report said.

Says Pruitt Responsible for \$6,000

CONWAY, Ark. (AP) — Ted Bruich Jr., field audit supervisor of the Joint Legislative Audit Committee, testified Wednesday that Robert L. Pruitt was responsible for \$6,000 in cash that has been missing from the State College of Arkansas' bank account for two years.

Pruitt, former head cashier at SCA, is charged in a four-count indictment of embezzling \$28,655 from the school in 1969. His trial in Circuit Court here entered its fourth day today.

Bruich told the court that state auditors had traced every day's cash receipts during the last two fiscal years and found them correct.

He said that auditors found where the \$6,000 was missing on a \$17,291 check issued for the state Rehabilitation Service to pay student fees at SCA. Bruich testified that a daily "recap" sheet initiated by Pruitt showed that only \$11,291 of the check had been deposited in the school's bank account.

The defense contends the school's records were so incomplete and poorly maintained that anyone could have taken the money and high college officials were trying to make a "scapegoat" out of Pruitt "to cover up for their own bungling."

Late Wednesday, testimony started on the second charge against Pruitt. The charge concerns \$3,175 missing from a \$3,730 Rehabilitation Service check.

Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a.m. Thursday, High 72, Low 58.

Forecast
ARKANSAS — Mostly cloudy Friday with showers tonight then diminishing late Friday. Mild tonight, turning cooler Friday. Low tonight 40s and 50s north to 60s south. High Friday 50s north to 60s south.

Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
High Low Pr.

Albany, cloudy	37	34	.12
Albuquerque, cloudy	56	34	..
Atlanta, clear	67	44	..
Bismarck, cloudy	14	11	..
Boise, clear	48	26	..
Boston, cloudy	36	34	.09
Buffalo, cloudy	45	35	..
Charlotte, clear	63	39	..
Chicago, cloudy	49	28	..
Cincinnati, fog	59	36	..
Cleveland, cloudy	59	35	..
Denver, cloudy	47	32	..
Des Moines, cloudy	42	27	..
Detroit, cloudy	53	31	..
Fairbanks, clear	4	19	..
Fort Worth, cloudy	77	63	..
Helena, cloudy	29	16	.20
Honolulu, cloudy	M	M	..
Indianapolis, cloudy	58	31	..
Jacksonville, fog	78	46	..
Juneau, rain	38	34	.08
Kansas City, cloudy	57	42	..
Los Angeles, clear	68	49	.05
Louisville, cloudy	61	38	..
Memphis, cloudy	63	51	..
Miami, cloudy	75	72	..
Millwaukee, cloudy	42	21	..
Mpls.-St. P., snow	32	15	T
New Orleans, fog	67	46	..
New York, cloudy	45	42	..
Okla. City, cloudy	67	56	..
Omaha, rain	39	26	.04
Philadelphia, clear	49	36	..
Phoenix, clear	66	42	..
Pittsburgh, cloudy	47	31	..
Ptland, Me., cloudy	19	16	.14
Ptland, Ore., rain	48	43	.02
Rapid City, snow	32	14	.23
Richmond, cloudy	63	44	..
St. Louis, cloudy	60	28	..
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	50	33	1.01
San Diego, clear	61	44	.20
San Fran., clear	56	48	..
Seattle, rain	43	42	.02
Tampa, clear	78	58	..
Washington, clear	60	41	..
Winnipeg, clear	7	15	..

M—Missing, T—Trace

Pollution Notices Sent to 3 Cities

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — William D. Ruckelshaus, in his first major action since taking over the week-old Environmental Protection Agency, has served notice on three major U.S. cities to halt violation of water quality standards or face possible court action.

If the violations do not cease within 180 days, the agency can ask the Justice Department to file suits against the cities.

Named by Ruckelshaus were Atlanta, Detroit and Cleveland. Ruckelshaus said in a speech prepared for the 47th annual congress of the National League of Cities that Atlanta is fouling the Chattahoochee River in violation of the federally approved Georgia water quality standards.

He said the river is clean when it reaches Atlanta and when it leaves "it is virtually an open sewer."

Detroit and Cleveland, he said, violate standards with respect to Lake Erie.

"No one disputes the damage that has been done to Lake Erie," Ruckelshaus said. "Some contend that the lake is dead. But massive corrective action and hard, prompt enforcement proceedings can save the lake. This is just what we intend to do."

The notices served on the cities today are intended to break the logjam, Ruckelshaus said. It is the hope of the agency "to act as a catalyst—to encourage all of us in Washington, in the state houses, and in the city halls of this country to address ourselves to the hard decisions which must be made if the environment is to be protected."

Many of the city officials wanted to discuss with Ruckelshaus the environmental effects of the supersonic transport. The conference is sharply divided on the issue and a floor fight is expected on a resolution urging a halt to federal funding of SST development.

War Claims Arkansan

WASHINGTON (AP) — Marine Pfc. Earnest Williams of Harrell, Ark., son of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Williams, has been killed in action in the war in Southeast Asia, the Defense Department said Wednesday.

Thursday, December 10, 1970

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REPHAN'S

SOCIETY

Phone 777-3431 Between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Calendar of Events

Thursday, December 10

The Hope B & PW Club will have a Christmas party Thursday, December 10 at 7 p.m. at the Diamond. All Standing Committee chairmen will be hostesses with Dee McMurrugh, chairman.

Edna and the Misfits. There is no admission charge and the public is invited.

There will be a Christmas Dance at the Hope Country Club Saturday night, December 12, at 9 p.m. Music will be furnished by the Variables. The admission will be \$3.00 per couple.

Monday, December 14

Circle No. 5 will meet in the home of Mrs. Lagrone Williams at 7:30 p.m. Co-hostesses are Mrs. H. E. Patterson, Mrs. June Still, Mrs. H. I. Townsend, and Mrs. Charles Burtch. Gifts will be exchanged.

Guild No. 1 will meet in the home of Mrs. E. R. Brown, with Mrs. Sue Perkins as co-hostess at 7:30 p.m.

The Deborah Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday, December 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Gerald Trussell home for a potluck supper and Christmas party. Gifts will be exchanged.

Tuesday, December 15

The Builders, Faith and Ruth Sunday School Classes of Adult Department III, First Baptist Church, will have their annual joint Christmas Dinner and social meeting at 7 p.m., Tuesday, December 15, 1970, in Fellowship Hall. The dinner will be pot luck. All members and associate members are urged to attend.

The Leslie Huddleston American Legion and Auxiliary will have a potluck dinner at the WOW Hall Tuesday, December 15 at 7 p.m. Mrs. Vance Marcum, Rehabilitation chairman, will have the program and junior members will sing Christmas music. Legionnaires will furnish the meat and beverages, and the Auxiliary members will bring vegetables, desserts and salads.

The Jr. Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. John Graves Tuesday, December 15, at 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday, December 16

The Hope Lilac Garden Club will have a Christmas Luncheon at the Heritage House Wednesday, December 16 at 12:30 p.m. with Mrs. Jay Randolph and Mrs. Pauline Walker as hostesses. Mrs. Roy Taylor will have the program. Each member is asked to bring a \$2 gift for exchange and potted bulbs for garden therapy.

Notice

The WMA of Unity Baptist Church will sponsor a Christmas Bazaar, Friday, December 11, in the lobby of the Bill Ellis Insurance Agency, 217 South Main. Many different hand-made gifts will be for sale and will make nice Christmas gifts. Come by to see us.

GOP Women Hold Yule Party

The Hempstead County Republican Women's Club had a Christmas Party Tuesday night, December 8 in the home of Mrs. Clarence Geist with Mrs. J. W. McRoy, co-hostess. Colorful and sparkling Christmas ornaments were seen in pretty array. Mrs. Paul Klipsch, retiring president, conducted a few routine business matters before Mrs. Jim Pruden installed the following new officers: president, Mrs. Carter Russell; vice-president, Mrs. Paul Rawson; treasurer, Mrs. Clarence Geist; secretary, Mrs. Haskell Jones. A number of games were played with prizes going to Mrs.

Paul Klipsch, Mrs. Haskell Jones, Mrs. Clyde Fouse and Mrs. Jim Pruden. The group of 13 members and 2 guests, Kathy McRoy and Kim Geist, enjoyed singing Christmas Carols before they were served refreshments. In the dining area, the table was covered with a green felt cloth which had gay holiday decorations on it. Punch was served by Mrs. Carter Russell, and coffee was poured by Mrs. Paul Klipsch. An assortment of tasty party food was also enjoyed.

Coming, Going

Mrs. Willy Mae Ramsey has returned home from Barnwell, S.C. after attending the funeral of her brother, Thomas N. Carmical.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene E. Klein, Oregon City, Ore., are visiting her brother, Tom Duckett, and other relatives.

Mrs. Dean Murphy, Mrs. Vance Marcum, Mrs. Jewel Moore, Jr., Mrs. Fred Formby and 17 girl students from Hope High School visited the Rehab. Center at the VA Hospital in Little Rock this past weekend.

Bookmobile Schedule

DECEMBER 14

Okay 9:00
Saratoga 9:30
Saratoga School 10:15
McNab 12:15
Fry Home 1:00
Burson Home 1:20
Guernsey School 1:45
Bobo Home 3:15

DECEMBER 15

Gilbey 8:30
Rose Home 8:45
Battlefield Loop 9:00
Spring Hill Schools 10:15
Spring Hill 12:00
Hacker Home 1:00
Williams Home 1:15
Lafferty Home Home 1:30
Patmos 1:45
Patmos School 2:00

DECEMBER 16

Bodcaw School 8:45
Williams Home 10:00
Sherman Home 10:15
Ward Home 10:45
Willville School 11:30
Mitchell Grocery 1:45
Fore Home 2:15
Shover Springs 2:45

DECEMBER 17

DeAnn 8:30
Woodruff Home 9:30
Barber Home 10:00
Huagland Grocery 11:15
Rogers Home 10:30
Jackson Home 11:00
Sweat Home 11:30
Hoover Home 11:45
Blevins 12:15
Sweet Home Church 1:45

DECEMBER 18

Bennett Home 8:30
Foster Home 9:00
Laneburg School 9:30
Cale School 12:00
Rosston 2:30

Elderly Housing Deal Abandoned

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Little Rock Housing Authority voted Tuesday to stop negotiations to buy three downtown hotels and convert them into housing for the elderly. Clifton L. Giles, director of the authority, said the hotels could not be renovated for the amount the Department of Housing and Urban Development would allow. HUD would pay 90 per cent of the total cost of renovation. The hotels under consideration were the Grady Manning, Marion and Albert Pike.



MISS LINDA BERRY

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Berry of Lewisville, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Kaye, to Dennis Edward Ramsey, son of Mrs. Jewel May, Jr. of Hope, and the late Edward L. Ramsey, Jr.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Berry of El Dorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Summers of Dallas. Mr. Ramsey is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. King, Sr. and Mrs. Mary Duke all of Idabel. Linda Kaye is a graduate of Henderson State College in Arkadelphia, where she received a BSE degree in Elementary Education. She was a member of

Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority, and was named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Miss Berry is now teaching in the Lewisville Elementary School.

Mr. Ramsey is presently attending Ouachita Baptist University in Arkadelphia, where he will graduate in May with a BA degree in Political Science. He is a member of Rho Sigma Social Club and has also been named a member of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

The wedding will be an event of December 18. Thereafter the couple's plans are to make their home in Lewisville.

LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M. D.

'Strep Throat' Can Cause Rheumatic Heart Disease

By LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.



Dear Dr. Lamb—I would like to know if tonsil infections can cause damage to the heart or cause other problems. I had large tonsils as a child. In my teen years I had frequent tonsillitis attacks. At 18, after an extra severe attack, I had them taken out. My doctor says I have a murmur. He said I may have had rheumatic fever as a child. I never had rheumatic symptoms except for the high fever due to the tonsils.

Dear Reader—Sore throats and infected tonsils caused by streptococci bacteria can indeed cause rheumatic heart disease with a heart murmur. Other throat infections like the common virus ones do not.

Simply stated, the body forms immune substances to counteract the streptococcal infection and in some people an allergiclike response occurs in certain tissues, including the joints (that may become painful and swollen) and the heart. The reaction continues long after the streptococcal infection is gone. Years later a valve inside the heart may still be undergoing changes—usually scarring and deforming the valve.

A damaged valve may not be able to open completely or it may not be able to close completely. The inefficient valve causes turbulence in the flow of blood as it is pumped through the heart. This causes the abnormal sound or murmur. The characteristics of the murmur—where it is heard, if it is loud or soft and when it is best heard during the heart's beat—all help the doctor to determine which heart valve is damaged and how severe the damage is.

A lot of people have murmurs and evidence of rheumatic heart disease who do not recall having had rheumatic fever. In these people we assume the attack of rheumatic fever was so mild or lacking in its usual features to go undiagnosed.

The danger of rheumatic heart disease is the reason why a "strep throat" should always be seen by a doctor and treated. If it were possible to treat every "strep throat" properly, rheumatic heart disease would cease

to be a problem.

Treating "strep throats" means proper antibiotic treatment—not removing the tonsils. The tonsils should be removed only if the tonsils and adenoids are causing obstruction which will lead to deformed facial features or repeated ear infections, or if they persistently contain infected material or are abscessed.

The tonsil is a simple lymph gland—like those under the jaw and in the armpits. Lymph glands manufacture white blood cells and substances to defend the body against infection. Naturally, those in the throat (tonsils) enlarge when the throat is infected. An old diseased tonsil full of pus-like material is no longer useful in the fight against infection.

Some patients do show improvement in their health after the tonsils are removed. This is usually a person with an old chronic infection. In other people removal of the tonsils does little more than run up a bill for surgery and hospitalization.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

On the Road in Arkansas

"Pool of Siloam" Christmas Pageant (last two weeks of month), Siloam Springs
World's Championship Duck Calling Contest & Agricultural Contest (last week in November or first week in December - TENTATIVE), Stuttgart

17—Christmas Parade, Convention Auditorium, Hot Springs
Christmas Parade, Altus
Annual Christmas Parade, Blytheville
Christmas Pageant, Monticello
Annual Christmas Parade, Magnolia
Christmas Decorations Contest, North Little Rock
Christmas Cantata, Ozark
Christmas Parade, Ozark
Annual Chamber of Commerce Pageant, Paris
Christmas Decorations Contest, Paris
Annual Christmas Lighting Services, Stephens

Television and Radio

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

AP Television-Radio Writer NEW YORK (AP) — It was one of those increasingly rare occasions in network television: two interesting special programs competing with each other.

ABC on Wednesday night preempted all its regular shows for a string of specials. NBC decided to broadcast one of its excellent "White Paper" documentaries.

So it was George Plimpton on ABC in a carefully comic account of playing a heavy in a John Wayne movie. At the same time NBC had a cool, incisive report on victims of street crime—the robberies, assaults and burglaries which have mushroomed in recent years.

"White Paper: The Besieged Majority" was achieved by taking the cameras into a high crime area in Philadelphia, a neighborhood which only a few years ago had been a quiet, middle-class section of town.

It focused on small storekeepers robbed, assaulted and put out of business; on residents afraid to walk the streets even before dark; on a young family, burglarized three times, living behind bolted doors and windows and protected by a sophisticated alarm system.

It was a story of angry people, frustrated law enforcement officials.

Meanwhile, author Plimpton was attempting—with spotty success—to translate his literary specialty into a visual chef-d'oeuvre.

The tall, diffident Plimpton has pitched in the major leagues, tackled in professional football and written graphically of his reactions. This time he tried to describe what it was like preparing for a minor role in a Wayne film. As the cameras followed him from wardrobe to makeup to set, he attempted to describe how an amateur felt when he suddenly turned actor.

The result was mild comedy, a look behind the movie scenes and a lot of padding which included a major plug for Wayne's upcoming flick.

The busy ABC evening started with a half-hour Christmas cartoon, "The Night The Animals Talked." The well-animated story was based on a premise that on a certain night 1,970 years ago all the animals in a certain stable suddenly were able to talk like humans. They immediately began squabbling and asserting themselves like humans. But there was a happy ending after they agreed to make room for a donkey and his owners who had been turned away from the inn.

Gene Kelly then was host on a variety special, "Changing Scene," which included some nice musical numbers, some fine dancing—especially Kelly's—and some mediocre comedy.

"Petula," which followed, was a handsome, sleek and star-studded hour that deserved better than being buried in a stack of specials. Petula Clark was hostess and was aided by such skillful performers as Peggy Lee, Dean Martin and the Everly Brothers.

Customers Agree to Arkla Hike

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — A spokesman for Arkansas Louisiana Gas Co. said Tuesday that 11 of the utility's industrial customers had agreed to pay a higher gas rate than their contracts with ArkLa called for.

The requests apparently are designed to strengthen ArkLa's argument in seeking federal approval of a new pipeline from the Anadarko Basin in Texas and Oklahoma. Some opponents of the line have argued that the individual consumer would have to bear the cost of the new pipeline because rates for industries are fixed by long-term contracts.

The companies that agreed to the rate increase are The Aluminum Company of America at Bauxite, Arkansas Chemicals Inc. at Little Rock, Arkansas Electric Cooperatives, Benton Light Improvement District 1, Dierks Paper Co. at Pine Bluff, Great Lakes Chemical Co. at El Dorado, Ideal Cement Co. at Little Rock, Malvern Brick and Tile Co., Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Co. at Little Rock, Nekosa-Edwards Paper Co. at Ashdown and Reynolds Metals Co. at Bauxite.



HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

DIFFERENT KINDS OF CLEANLINESS—SOME DESTRUCTIVE? Dear Helen:

It appears that some misguided people think that tidying up our beaches and cities (as with trash collections, etc.) is an answer to world pollution. This is too little, and almost too late.

Perhaps our mania for external cleanliness has been a contributing factor in choking our rivers and waterways with chemicals. Maybe we need to rethink our idea of what is clean, what is contaminated, and what is just plain healthy but tolerable dirt.

The media has done much to make us feel we simply must have a bath every day or perish—and spray our underarms, deodorize our bodies, keep our clothes spotless with many washings. The odor of human sweat may be offensive but a world killed off by exaggerated use of chemicals and detergents in an insane race to insure that we do not look, smell or taste like human beings might possibly be the alternative.

I think we must examine our attitudes, or any "do good" project (like picking up cans and debris), will simply be wasted energy. Is it possible that our ideas of work, cleanliness, sex, may be radically changed in the future? I think so. This thought throws people into deep depression, but if we optimistically consider Socrates' remark, "No man is willingly deprived of the good," then perhaps we can all trust each other enough to feel no matter how drastic things change, it can all work out.—JOAN

Thanks for the thoughtful letter—but I don't think we need give up personal cleanliness to save our world from extermination via pollution. Surely there's an alternate way—and we'll find it!—H.

Dear Helen: Here's another for the collection: WHAT IS A SUMMER LOVE? (When Winter Comes)

A summer love is a "chance" meeting at a special moment, creating a "perhaps" love. It's all those moments you've ever dreamed of, crammed into one season.

It's the magic of a full moon, the romance of the beach at

night, the fun of building sand castles together, the security of holding his hand, the tenderness of your smiles. . .

And the strong realization that nothing lasts forever.

It's finally knowing how precious time is—now that every minute counts.

It's collecting all the little moments you can find that remind you of him; so you can paste them in your scrapbook when you get back home.

It's where "tomorrow" is a bad word.

It's a special kind of love where there are no strings to bind you, where time is against you; and where memories are so important, since they are all you have to take home with you.

It's the last kiss, the last goodbye, and an end to your summer.

It's fighting back the tears on the way home; sitting in your old room wishing you weren't, and dreaming about each minute he gave you.

A summer love is an easy thing to find, but a hard thing to forget.

. . . So if your summer love lasted for only a few days or even just one night, you still belong with all those girls who found that one special guy. And when the leaves fall and the cold winds blow, then you'll be like the rest of us who cry because summer was just a yesterday ago. —SEASIDE '70

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MARTY MIM MACK, 1971 March of Dimes Poster Boy, offers a carrot to an interested donkey at Fleishacker Children's Zoo in San Francisco. Like any 9-year-old boy, Marty, who hails from Santa Clara, Calif., is fond of animals and loves to take care of them. As Poster Boy, he will represent some 250,000 American infants born annually with birth defects. January is March of Dimes month.

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State Guards May Be Best in Nation

By HARRY KING
Associated Press Writer
JONESBORO, Ark. (AP) — Bill Phillips and Wayne Dorton were among a flock of high school backs recruited by Arkansas State University in 1967. Now, they may be the best pair of offensive guards in the country.

"I have never seen a better pair on one team," said ASU assistant Bill Davidson. "Anybody would be blessed to have them."

Phillips was named to the Little All-American team released Wednesday and Dorton received honorable mention. ASU tailback Calvin Harrell and defensive halfback Dennis Meyer were on the second team. All four are juniors. Linebacker Gary Cleve, a senior, was given honorable mention.

The top-ranked Indians, unbeaten in 18 games, meet Central Missouri in the Pecan Bowl Saturday at Arlington, Tex. ASU, winner of three straight Southland Conference titles, defeated Drake in the 1969 Pecan Bowl and lost to North Dakota State in the 1968 bowl game.

Dorton was a 190-pound quarterback at Nettleton and Phillips was a 208-pound fullback at Harrison. Dorton is now 6-1, 248 and Phillips is 6-3, 251.

"They're both weight enthusiasts ... they've made themselves that size," Davidson said.

When Dorton and Phillips were freshmen they were asked to make the transition from a ball carrier to a blocker. They accepted the challenge immediately.

"A lot of times a youngster has reservations about making a position change from the backfield to the line," Davidson said. "But, not these two. This gave us an early indication they wanted to play."

Davidson refuses to say which is better.

"Phillips is quicker and Dorton is stronger," he said. "We like to run right at Dorton with our tailback and give Phillips a little bit more room to use his quickness. Both are extremely strong pass blockers and both are truly great leaders."

"Coaching them every day, you see the strength they have in their neck and shoulders," Davidson said. "Both of them are technicians. I have yet to see either one of them make a block with their shoulder. They'll butt you with their forehead and run you off the line of scrimmage."

Davidson says pro scouts have been looking at Dorton and Phillips since last year.

"Phillips was timed by one scout in 4.8 in the 40 in full pads and Dorton was timed in 4.9," Davidson said. "The average in the pros on offensive guards is about 5.2."

Davidson says both take pride in their blocking.

"Both of them have told me it gives them a heckuva feeling to look up and see a back clean right over you," Davidson said.

"The Indians are solid favorites Saturday, but ASU coach Bennie Ellender isn't taking Central Missouri lightly."

"They like to throw the ball and they have a good running attack," Ellender said. "Their quarterback, Steve Eckinger, has 120 completions for about 1,600 yards and Ira Clemons has rushed for more than 1,000 yards."

Saturday's contest is to be telecast regionally.

Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

		A.M.		P.M.	
Dec.	Day	Minor	Major	Minor	Major
10	Thursday	2:20	8:30	2:40	9:00
11	Friday	3:15	9:20	3:30	9:50
12	Saturday	4:00	10:15	4:25	10:45
13	Sunday	5:00	11:10	5:20	11:45

ABA Teams Make Very Fine Debut

NEW YORK (AP) — The American Basketball Association has had its coming out party, a tri-colored affair that was considered a rousing and significant success by almost everyone who showed up.

While a few old National Basketball Association stick-in-the-muds stuck up their noses, most of the crowd of 12,522 had a fine time Wednesday night as the ABA made its debut in Madison Square Garden, the mecca of basketball and the focal point of the NBA.

The curious got a good look at the four-year-old league and the ABAers did plenty of cheering as the Virginia Squires came from behind to beat Denver 113-109 and then the Indiana Pacers disappointed the partisan crowd by crushing the New York Nets 129-108.

They were the only two ABA games of the night. In the NBA, Baltimore clobbered Milwaukee 127-97, San Francisco bounced Detroit 110-99, Boston outscored Seattle 136-121, Cincinnati defeated Atlanta 118-106 and Portland whipped Cleveland 109-102.

It was a different type crowd than usually watches the New York Knicks in the Garden, a less sophisticated one heavy with youngsters out to take advantage of the red white and blue ABA balls given away at the door.

The kids stomped, clapped and shouted, hustled for autographs which the players gladly signed and had the place resounding with the bouncing of those basketballs. They lined the court during the warmups and a policeman even played catch with one of the boys, something unheard of during a Knicks game.

The entire atmosphere was more relaxed, less sophisticated. There was little of the fashion parade that attends NBA games here.

Yet while the fans enjoyed the two games and the free gift, there was little doubt that the appearance here meant much more to the ABA.

"This is it, playing in the Garden," said Coach Lou Carnesecca, after watching his Nets go down despite Rick Barry's 35 points. "This means more stature, more prestige, more acceptance for the league."

Owner Roy Boe of the Nets felt the same way, and said he hoped to play three more games here and would even try to schedule some playoff contests, in the Garden if the Nets get that far.

"It proves we're closer to parity between the leagues now," he said. "The significance is that we drew 12,500, and anything that helps our prestige helps us and a merger."

Commissioner Jack Dolph of the ABA also was very pleased at the turnout and the enthusiasm.

"It makes a merger more viable, more creditable," he said. "When I heard the price scale (\$4.50 to \$8.50) I gulped. But we proved we can come in and do a successful promotion in the Garden."

"Basketball needs a merger. The NBA needs it, the ABA needs it, the NCAA needs it, the fans need it. Making it on your own is ridiculous nowadays. If there is no merger, I anticipate all time records for sport contracts will be broken this year, once, twice, three times."

The crowd, which included two charter plane loads of fans from Indiana, wasn't thinking merger, however, as they came alive when Virginia made up a 21-point first half deficit and then closed with a rush in the final quarter after falling eight back.

Charlie Scott hit 10 of his 23 points and Ray Scott 12 of his 18 in the final session to lead the Squires, who scored the last four points on Roland Taylor's basket with 48 seconds left and Ray Scott's free throws just before the end.

Indiana's big front line of Bob Netolicky, 27 points and 12 rebounds, Roger Brown, 23 and nine, and Mel Daniels, 21 and 12, proved too much for the Nets, who stayed closed until the Pacers ran off eight straight points early in the second half.

bers to get the Cougars in the league.

If Texas' proposal is accepted, Texas will recommend that a committee of SWC officials meet with a similar committee representing Houston to formulate admission plans.

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Basketball
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NBA

Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division

	W.L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	23	9	.719
Boston	19	10	.655
Philadelphia	16	15	.516
Buffalo	8	20	.286

Central Division

Baltimore	17	12	.586
Cincinnati	11	16	.407
Atlanta	7	20	.259
Cleveland	2	28	.067

Western Conference

Midwest Division

Milwaukee	21	4	.840
Detroit	18	11	.621
Phoenix	18	13	.581
Chicago	14	11	.560

Pacific Division

Los Angeles	16	10	.615
San Diego	16	14	.533
San Fran.	16	14	.533
Seattle	14	17	.452
Portland	10	22	.309

Wednesday's Results

Baltimore 127, Milwaukee 97
Boston 136, Seattle 121
Cincinnati 118, Atlanta 106
San Francisco 110, Detroit 99
Portland 109, Cleveland 102

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

Chicago vs. Buffalo at Syracuse, N.Y.

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Detroit at Boston
Cleveland at Milwaukee
San Francisco at Philadelphia
Atlanta at Chicago
Phoenix at San Diego
Los Angeles at Seattle
Portland at Buffalo

ABA

East Division

	W.L.	Pct.	G.B.
Kentucky	19	7	.731
Virginia	18	10	.643
New York	12	14	.462
Floridians	12	14	.462
Pittsburgh	11	18	.379
Carolina	9	17	.346

West Division

Utah	18	8	.692
Indiana	16	10	.615
Memphis	13	13	.500
Texas	9	16	.360
Denver	8	18	.308

Wednesday's Results

Indiana 129, New York 108
Virginia 113, Denver 109

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York vs. Virginia at Hampton, Va.
Pittsburgh at Denver
Memphis at Floridians

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Pittsburgh at Utah
Kentucky at New York
Virginia at Texas
Indiana vs. Carolina at Greensboro, N.C.
Denver at Memphis

Only games scheduled

Wednesday's College Basketball

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East

Colgate 89, RPI 71
Syracuse 93, Cornell 71
Thomas More 89, Niagara 79
Rochester 99, Alfred 75
Brown 78, Yale 72
Connecticut 74, New Hamp. 71
LaSalle 97, Miami, Fla. 77
St. Vincent 82, Carnegie-Mellon 62
Virginia 81, Navy 63
St. John's, N.Y. 66, St. Joseph's, Pa. 53
Fordham 97, Seton Hall 80

South

So. Miss. 80, Ark. St. 75, OT
Mercer 73, The Citadel 70
Mars Hall 76, Wofford 59
Louisville 72, Dayton 70
Fla. South. 86, Tampa 74
Stetson 88, Rollins 67

Midwest

70kla. St. 93, Memphis St. 87, two OT's
St. Peters, N. J. 109, Morehead State 97
So. Ill. 107, No. Iowa 81
Cent. Mich. 92, No. Illinois 86

Southwest

Stephen F. Austin 112, Prairie View 97

Far West

Air Force 89, Depauw 65
Seattle U. 89, Ariz. St. 84
Creighton 88, Mont. State 67
New Mex. St. 76, Arizona 74

Arkansas Basketball Scores

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

College

Southern Mississippi 80, Arkansas State 75 (overtime)

High School

Ouachita Invitational

At Arkadelphia

Second Round

Arkadelphia 50, England 39
Hot Springs 60, Little Rock Catholic 44
Kirby 64, Chidester 61

Arkansas' Bumpus Is All-America

By HERSCHEL NISSENSEN
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Quarterback Joe Theismann of Notre Dame was named to The Associated Press All-America football team today over Heisman Trophy winner Jim Plunkett of Stanford.

Joining Theismann on the select all-star squad were three repeaters from 1969—offensive guard Chip Kell of Tennessee and defensive guard Jim Stillwagon and corner back Jack Tatum, both of Ohio State.

Louisiana State and Notre Dame—the teams ranked 1-2-3-5-6 in The AP's final regular season poll—each placed two players on the All-America team.

The Texas representatives were fullback Steve Worster and defensive end Bill Atessis, for two years Darrell Royal's most solid ballplayers. Ohio State placed Stillwagon and Tatum while Nebraska had offensive tackle Bob Newton and linebacker Jerry Murtaugh.

From LSU's super-quick defense came linebacker Mike Anderson and back Tommy Casanova while the Notre Dammers were Theismann and offensive guard Larry DiNardo.

The rest of the offense consisted of tight end Jim Braxton, West Virginia; wide receivers Ernie Jennings, Air Force, and Elmo Wright, Houston; tackle Dan Dierdorf, Michigan; center Don Popplewell, Colorado, and running back Don McCauley of North Carolina, who shattered O. J. Simpson's one-season national rushing record.

The others on defense were end Charlie Weaver, Southern California; tackles Dick Bumpas, Arkansas, and Rock Perdoni, Georgia Tech; linebacker Jack Ham, Penn State, and back Dave Elmendorf, Texas A&M.

Wright, Worster and Atessis were second-teamers a year ago while Perdoni moved up from the third team.

The biggest surprise, perhaps, was the selection of Theismann over Plunkett. Their passing statistics were fairly comparable. Theismann completed 155 of 268—57.8 per cent—for 2,429 yards and 18 touchdowns with 14 interceptions. Plunkett was 191 for 358—53.4 per cent—for 2,715 yards, 18 TDs and 18 interceptions.

However, Theismann added 384 yards on the ground to Plunkett's 183 and finished second nationally in total offense with 281.3 yards per game to 263.5 for Plunkett. The loss to Purdue, in which Plunkett was intercepted five times, and the setbacks at the hands of the Air Force and California, in which he was outshone by Bob Parker and Dave Penhall, respectively, hurt his chances. The Air Force and Cal games came after Stanford had already clinched the Pacific 8 title and Rose Bowl bid.

In Notre Dame's lone defeat, Theismann threw for 526 yards and, although he was intercepted four times, two of them came late in the game as he desperately tried to pass the Irish into contention.

Worster was The AP's Player of the Year in the Southwest Conference and Royal says he plays his position as well as anybody in the last 13 years with the exception of the great Tommy Nobis. "A super player," says Royal.

Besides his ball-carrying ability, Worster is a great blocker in Texas' devastating wishbone-T offense. He holds the school career records for touchdowns and points and that's what the game's all about.

McCauley climaxed a super season by carrying 47 times for 279 yards and five touchdowns against Duke, giving him 1,720 yards over-all, 11 more than Simpson gained for Southern Cal in 1968. He ranks ninth on the all-time list with 3,172 yards.

It would be hard to surpass the campaign enjoyed by Jennings, a 9.6 sprinter who terrorized enemy secondaries. He grabbed 74 passes for 1,289 yards and 17 touchdowns. Houston's Wright caught 47 for 874 yards and nine scores, although the Cougars had problems at quarterback, and finished his career as No. 2 all-time in reception yardage with 3,347 and tops in TD catches with 34. Braxton is an outstanding blocker and receiver and also ran well while seeing limited serv-



MEMBERS OF THE FALL RIVER (Wis.) High School basketball team do not find it unusual that their coach is a Mrs. and not a Mr. Mrs. Helen Butterworth, 51, (above, in action) took over as head basketball coach at the school this season. The school, 35 miles north of Madison, has an enrollment of 147 students. Mrs. Butterworth also is an assistant football coach.

Louisville in Victory Over Dayton

By TED MEIER
Associated Press Sports Writer
Larry Carter still was aglow with satisfaction today over his steal of the ball that gave Louisville a 72-70 victory over Dayton in college basketball.

It happened in the last two seconds of the game at Louisville Wednesday night. Carter intercepted a pass at midcourt and drove in for the winning basket.

"I was just hoping for a cross-court pass," the jubilant Carter said after the Missouri Valley Conference Cardinals had beaten the independent Flyers from Ohio.

Al Bertke's 12-footer had tied the score for Dayton at 70-70 with two minutes left. The Flyers then held the ball to set up a final shot, a plan that went awry on Carter's interception.

"We wanted to get the clock down to five seconds, then go for it," explained Don Donohue, the Dayton coach. "But a couple

ice at fullback.

Dierdorf was the key blocker on Michigan's forward wall while Coach Bob Devaney of Nebraska calls Newton the "toughest, most aggressive lineman we've ever had."

DiNardo, who missed four games with a knee injury and is out of the Cotton Bowl, too, and Kell also are superb blockers. The latter won the Jacobs Trophy in 1969 as the best blocker in the Southeastern Conference and seems a clinch to repeat. Popplewell is rated the best center in Colorado history.

On defense, Atessis hasn't had a bad game in three seasons, according to Royal, while Weaver, the other end, may be the quickest man at the position, "able to take both the quarterback and the pitch man," according to Coach John McKay.

Frank Broyles isn't known for his overwhelming praise of his players, but the Arkansas coach says that "Lloyd Phillips is the only defensive lineman I've had here in 13 years to compare with Bumpas." The Italian-born Perdoni, the other tackle, is "the best lineman I've seen," according to Bobby Dodd, Tech's long-time coach and now athletic director.

Middle guard Stillwagon can play in or out of the line. He capped the season in the big game with Michigan by making eight solo tackles, five assists and twice nailing the quarterback on crucial downs.

Anderson is a linebacker who "always rises to the occasion" for Coach Charlie McClendon and made a couple of key stops to preserve LSU's victory over Auburn. Ham has a knack for making the big play, whether against the run or the pass, and specializes in blocking punts. Murtaugh set a Nebraska record of 71 primary tackles this season, including 14 against Southern Cal's fine running backs.

Casanova is the best athlete on the LSU team and returned punts 61 and 73 yards for touchdowns in the regular season wind-up against Ole Miss. Tatum, a vicious tackler with outstanding speed, probably can make it in the pros as a corner back and running back, which he was in high school. Gene Stallings of Texas A&M says there's "not a better free safety anywhere" than Elmendorf, but the 200-pound senior is weighing 200 baseball against football.

Lee Trevino Gunning for Triple Crown

By BOB GREEN
Associated Press Golf Writer
FREEPORT, Bahamas (AP) — Lee Trevino is gunning for a triple crown first today going into the first round of the \$130,000 Bahamas Island Open Golf Tournament.

The self-styled Merry Mexican is leading the field in money won, Vardon Trophy standings and the exemption point list going into this the last tournament on the pro schedule this year.

Has anyone ever done that before? The swarthy, husky Trevino asked, then quickly answered his own question: "Of course not. They never had the points before."

The point system was instituted this year to determine exempt players for the 1971 tour. Previously, an official money list had been used. So, should Trevino hold his position, he would be a first.

He leads in money at \$147,522, in points at 1,453.16 and in the prestigious Vardon Trophy standings with a scoring average of 70.1.

The 31-year-old Mexican-American winner of two events this year has a virtual lock on the Vardon Trophy. Dave Hill, the 1969 winner, is second at 70.86, and because of the large number of rounds played it would take a fantastic collapse by Trevino to allow Hill to slip in.

Only Bruce Crampton and Larry Hinson have an outside chance of catching him in the point standings, and they would have to win to do it with Trevino finishing well back.

And in the money—the category to which the pros attach the most prestige—only Crampton, Arnold Palmer and Frank Beard have a chance.

The players in second and third place, Billy Casper and Jack Nicklaus, are not competing.

Crampton with either a first or second place finish or Palmer and Beard with a first place finish could overtake him, but again it would take a poor finish by Trevino.

"Well, all I've got to do is beat them, and I'm going to beat all those cats," the outspoken character said.

"I'm playing better from tee to green right now than I have in a long long time. I've just got to make some putts. That's what's going to count in this tournament—putting. You know the little guy I've got to beat, Dave Hill. He can make those 8-10 footers, and he's long enough he'll have a lot of holes that will be a driver and a wedge.

"Then it's the putting, and he's got the right attitude. You know, last week he had it going and then went bogey double bogey, and he said 'well, what the hell. It don't bother me. I'm hitting the ball super.' Me, I'd have been so hot I'd have been off the ground," Trevino said. "But it don't bother Dave. He's the one."

comete for the world title." Viscusi said from Tampa, Fla., that Foster had signed an agreement with Houston promoter Earl Gilliam to fight No. 1 contender Jimmy Dupree in Houston Feb. 17 and photostats of the agreement were mailed last Friday to Brennan.

"I don't understand this," Viscusi said. "I've complied with every wish of the WBA and we are ready for Dupree to show on the 17th in Houston and there'll be a championship fight."

Spring Hill Wins in Two Overtimes

Perry's team downed Monte's 104 to 96 in play this week in the Independent Basketball League.

Loe scored 30 and Massanelli 20 for the winners while Townsend had 32 and Hatfield 22 for the losers.

In two overtimes Spring Hill beat Blevins 102 to 95. Polk tossed in 29, V. Kidd and Sooter 20 each for Spring Hill while L. Hicks had 25 and L. Huggs 23 for Blevins.

Next week's games pair Perry's and Spring Hill while Monte's takes on Blevins.

Bobby Foster Disgruntled Over Action

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—The manager of Bobby Foster says he doesn't understand the World Boxing Association's announcement it has withdrawn recognition of his fighter as world light heavyweight champion.

The action was taken, WBA President Bill Brennan said Wednesday, because the manager failed "to post a forfeit" guaranteeing Foster would defend his crown against the No. 1 contender within 90 days after a proposed heavyweight title bout between Foster and Joe Frazier.

Brennan said the manager, Lou Viscusi, and the association agreed to this arrangement during the WBA convention last August in Montreal.

At that time, Brennan said, the WBA advised Biscusi his agreement "must be fulfilled, otherwise it would become necessary for the WBA to withdraw recognition" of the Washington, D. C., fighter as champion.

"As of this date," Brennan added, "Viscusi and Foster have not lived up to their commitment and pledge."

Brennan, who said the WBA shortly will announce a series of bouts involving the leading contenders to install a new champion, said Foster has not defended his crown against the top challenger since winning it May 24, 1968. This, he said, "has added strangulation" to the division and "deprived leading contenders of the opportunity to

Players Too Busy Hitting Each Other

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

"The only thing wrong with this game," one fan shouted above the bedlam in Maple Leaf Gardens, "is that everyone's so busy hitting everyone else nobody's playing hockey."

The Toronto Maple Leafs played enough hockey Tuesday night to beat Montreal 4-0, but the two National Hockey League clubs spent more time—179 penalty minutes' worth, in fact—beating each other's brains out.

In the night's calmer action, Chicago trounced Buffalo 6-1, Philadelphia whipped St. Louis 5-2, Pittsburgh and Minnesota tied 2-2, California pounded Vancouver 6-1, and New York, tying Los Angeles 2-2, moved into a first-place East Division tie with the Bruins.

For a while it seemed the two Canadian clubs might improve on their Dec. 9, 1953 performance in Toronto when they set the NHL record of 204 penalty minutes, but after a wild first period in which referee Bill Friday whistled 130 minutes in penalties, the teams quieted down a bit.

The joint exploded at the 14:27 mark of the period when Toronto's Darryl Sittler began scuffling with Bill Collins and Terry Harper of Montreal behind the Canadiens' goal.

Toronto's Rick Ley joined the battle and, when goalie Phil Myre tried to haul Ley off Harper, Toronto netminder Bruce Gamble steamed the length of the ice and pounced on Myre.

Montreal's John Ferguson was the next player to start swinging and that prompted both benches to empty onto the ice. Even the Canadiens' Guy Lapointe, already serving a slashing penalty, couldn't restrain himself from taking an active role.

Before the game was over, nine misconducts, 11 majors and 16 minor penalties had been called. Oh, yes, Dave Keon, Bill MacMillan, Gary Monahan and George Armstrong scored for the Leafs while Gamble turned aside all 33 Canadiens shots for

his first shutout of the season. Pit Martin of Chicago celebrated his 27th birthday by giving his teammates a few gifts—a goal and two assists—and Chicago Maki added a pair of goals as the Black Hawks extended their unbeaten string on home ice to 15 games and opened an eight-point bulge over second-place St. Louis in the West Division.

The Blues managed to hold Philadelphia to a 2-2 tie through one period but Bob Kelly put the Flyers ahead to stay in the second session and Joe Watson and Serge Bernier added insurance markers, handing St. Louis goalie Ernie Wakely his first home defeat in 19 regular-season games.

Minnesota's Buster Harvey scored in the second period to end the North Stars' string of scoreless periods at six, then Danny Grant spilled in a third-period goal to tie the Penguins, who got first-period markers from Ken Schinkel and Keith McCreary.

New York and Los Angeles traded goals in the first two periods and Bob Berry put the Kings ahead early in the third before Ron Stewart's backhand in the final three minutes of play gave the Rangers the equalizer.

Gerry Ehman snapped a 1-1 second-period tie with the first of three California goals in the middle frame as the Golden Seals drubbed the Canucks.

Bill Burnett Gets Kern Tips Award

DALLAS (AP) — The Third Annual Kern Tips Memorial Award has been given to Bill Burnett, Arkansas' record-breaking tailback.

Other nominees for the 1970 award were Bucky Allshouse, Rice; Derek Davis, Baylor; Dave Elmendorf, Texas A&M; Larry Hargrave, Texas Tech; Scott Henderson, Texas; Chuck Hixson, SMU; and John Ruthstrom, Texas Christian.

The trophy is named for the late Southwest Conference football radio broadcaster, Kern Tips.

It is given to an outstanding senior football player who must besides being an outstanding academic record, display good sportsmanship and be of high moral character.

Chris Gilbert of Texas A&M won the award previously.

Ron Johnson Ahead on Offense

NEW YORK (AP) — Larry Brown's idle feet have still covered the most ground in the National Football League—but footwork and handwork have put Ron Johnson at the head of the total offense list, according to NFL figures released today.

Brown, Washington's premier runner who set a Redskins record a couple of Sundays ago by lifting his league-leading rushing total to 996 yards with 139 yards against New York, sat on the sidelines in Dallas last weekend, stopped by a pulled hamstring.

In New York, Johnson of the Giants was scampering 100 yards against Buffalo to move into second place in the rushing race with 918 ground yards.

But that yardage, plus the 461 he has accumulated through pass receptions, enabled him to bypass Brown in total offense with 1,379 yards to Brown's 1,304.

San Francisco's John Brodie and Oakland's Daryle Lamonia continued their aerial leads in the National and American Conferences.

Brodie of the NFC's 49ers, who hit 20 of 30 passes for 268 yards and a touchdown against Atlanta, leads everyone with 2,543 yards, a 60 per cent completion rate and an average gain of 7.59 yards per pass.

Lamonia tops the AFC with 2,195 total air yards—but the Raiders passer's season completion average slipped to 50 per cent following his performance against the New York Jets when he connected on only 13 of 40 losses for 169 yards.

Dick Gordon of Chicago and Marlin Briscoe of Buffalo each snared four passes to remain the reception leaders, Gordon with 55 in the NFC and Briscoe with 49, tops in the AFC and second over-all.

Fred Cox Minnesota's kicker who tied Sam Baker's NFL record last Saturday by scoring in his 110th consecutive game, still leads the league scoring race with 107 points.

Trophy Winner Misses Spot on AP Team

NEW YORK (AP) — Jim Plunkett of Stanford is the third Heisman Trophy winner to miss selection on the first team of The Associated Press All-America football team in the 35 years the Heisman Award has been made.

Angelo Bertelli of Notre Dame, the Heisman winner in 1943, was not on The AP All-America first team. Neither was Paul Hornung, also of Notre Dame, the 1956 Heisman winner.

Quarterback Joe Theisman of Notre Dame was chosen over Plunkett for the 1970 AP first team All-America announced today.

Mississippi Team Beats Indians

HATTIESBURG, Miss. (AP) — Houston Cunningham hit two field goals in the final 20 seconds to give Southern Mississippi an 80-75 basketball victory over Arkansas State University here Wednesday night.

A-State's Danny Sullivan hit a jump shot to tie the game at 69-69 at the end of regulation play and send the contest into overtime.

John Belcher of ASU led all scorers with 26 points and Sullivan had 21. Rich Carsetto led the Mississippi scorers with 24 points.

Hockey

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Wednesday's Results
Toronto 4, Montreal 0
New York 2, Los Angeles 2, tie
Chicago 6, Buffalo 1
California 6, Vancouver 1
Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 2
Pittsburgh 2, Minnesota 2, tie
Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games
Minnesota at Montreal
Buffalo at Boston
Philadelphia at Detroit
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games
New York at California
Pittsburgh at St. Louis

Richey Does Not Have Hepatitis

SAN ANGELO, Tex. (AP) — Davis Cup tennis star Cliff Richey, feared to have hepatitis, has been given a clean bill of health by his personal physician.

Richey, of San Angelo, Tex., recently dropped out of the Masters Tourney in Tokyo when doctors there said he might be contracting the infection.

"I'm not going to play in any tournaments for six weeks," Richey said today. He said he planned to do nothing but rest for the next three weeks.

Richey said his weakened condition resulted from the five-week tour that took him from Europe to Buenos Aires and Tokyo.

He said a complete checkup by his physician here ruled out hepatitis.

Class B All State Team Announced

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Magnet Cove, the Class B state champion, landed three representatives on the Class B All-State football team announced by the Arkansas Activities Association.

Quarterback Randy Crumby, center Ricky Williams and end tackle Dickie Dixon were the three Magnet Cove players named to the team.

Here is the Class B All-State team:

Ends—Tony Ray of Horatio, Jackie Alston of Harding, Richard Simmons of Gould, Brian Partier of Danville and Jim Crotty of Norphlet.

Tackles—Dickie Dixon of Magnet Cove, Mike Murphy of Norphlet, Frank Gather of Luxora and Chuck Sims of Hazen.

Guards—Bill Allard of Gentry and Charles Reel of Dierks. Linebacker—Jasper Goza of Sparkman.

Center — Ricky Williams of Magnet Cove.

Backs — Gene Simmons of Dierks, Randy Crumby of Magnet Cove, Charles White of Norphlet, Mike Anderson of Greenland, Grover Stracener of Luxora, Larry Adkins of DeWalls Bluff, John Welch of Danville, Dean Bell of Gillett and Curtis Magrum of Gould.



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Ice Capades Owner May Buy Penguins

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Penguins have a new prospective buyer — this time Metromedia, Inc. owner of the Ice Capades.

A reliable source confirmed that negotiations are going on with the New York-based firm. However, negotiations now are out of the Penguin owners' hands and are being conducted by the National Hockey League.

North Squad for Blue-Gray Game Picked

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — Boston College backs Frank Harris and Fred Willis, ranked among the top offensive performers in the East this season, headline the 27-man North squad for the 33rd annual Blue-Gray All star football game here Dec. 28.

Harris, an Associated Press All-East second team quarterback, passed for 1,595 yards and 13 touchdowns this season. Willis, a 208-pounder picked to the All-East first team, became the first Boston College back to rush for more than 1,000 yards when he picked up 1,007 this season.

West Virginia quarterback Mike Sherwood, who passed for 1,550 yards this season, will share the signal calling duties with Harris. And Willis will be joined by running backs Ward Walsh of Colorado and James Harrison of Missouri.

Split end Paul Staroba of Michigan, named to the AP's All-Big Ten first team, tight end Doug Dieken of Illinois and flanker Gordon Bowdell of Michigan State are among the North's top receivers.

Another All-East selection, Penn State guard Robert Holuba, anchors the Blue team's offensive line.

Colorado tackle Dave Capra, who threw opposing backs for 50 yards in losses this season, and Brigham Young back Chris Farasopolous, a top punt returner, highlight the Blue defense.

Murray Warmath of Minnesota was named last weekend as head coach for the North. He will be assisted by Floyd Gass of Oklahoma and Dan Fauriol, former Missouri head coach.

The North has won the nationally televised game 13 times. Last year's game ended in a 6-6 tie—the first in the game's history.

The Blue-Gray game this season will be played for the first time at night.

Here's the remainder of the Blue team:

Offense — Split end Greg Edmonds, Penn State; linemen Bob Bridges, Oklahoma State, Jim Carver, Kansas State, and Alvin Hawes, Minnesota; center Tom Beard, Michigan State, and kicker Robert Jacobs, Wyoming.

Defense — Eds Phil Villapiano, Bowling Green, and Mike Kuhn, Kansas State; linemen Jay Wallace, Missouri and Gerlad Combs, Northwestern; linebackers Veno Paraskevas, Purdue, and Calvin Fox, Michigan State, and backs Charles Hall, Pittsburgh, Jim Betts, Michigan, Mike Kolich, Kansas State, and John Gates, Oklahoma State.



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The Negro Community

By ESTER HICKS
Phone 777-4678 or 4474

LET'S REFLECT: Failure is more frequently from want of energy than from want of capital. -Daniel Webster said it.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The Woods Sisters of Malvern will sing at the New Bethel Baptist Church Sunday night, December 13th, at 7 O'clock. This program is being sponsored by the Deacon Board. The public is invited to attend. Rev. W. W. Carroll, Pastor.

BENEFIT FOOTBALL GAME

Vernon Phillips wants to do a good deed for the underprivileged children of Hope, so he has come up with the bright idea of staging an "Allstar Football Game". Won't you fellows help him to bring cheer into these kid's hearts on Christmas morning by participating in this game?

To stage this project, it is necessary that you get together and plan it, so he is calling you to meet him Tuesday night, December 15th, at 7 O'clock. Call him at 777-5655 for more information.

FUNERAL SERVICES

Funeral service for Harvie Warren will be held Sunday, December 13th, at 11:00 a.m. at the Antioch Baptist Church with burial in Antioch Cemetery under the direction of Hicks Funeral Home, Inc.

Funeral service for Mrs. Florene Stewart will be held at the St. Peter C. M. E. Church, Ozan, Friday, December 11th, at 1:00 p.m. with burial in St. Peter Cemetery under the direction of Hicks Funeral Home, Inc.

Funeral service for Bernice "Buck" Hughey will be held at Bethel A. M. E. Church Sunday, December 13th, at 2:30 p.m. with burial in Scott's Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Hicks Funeral Home, Inc.

Re-enlistments in the Armed Forces Drop

WASHINGTON (AP) — Re-enlistments in the armed forces have dropped to their lowest point in 15 years and there's no sign the Pentagon has succeeded yet in reversing the trend.

President Nixon stressed the importance he attaches to re-enlistments in his goal of achieving an all-volunteer service by presiding Wednesday at a special White House ceremony for five men signing on for more service.

Statistics show the re-enlistment rate for the services as a whole fell to 30.5 per cent in the fiscal year which ended June 30. This was the lowest level since a 27.2 per cent rate in fiscal 1955.

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this time. Guzman said in an interview that he opposed capital punishment personally and that the dictates of his conscience would lead him to recommend clemency for all 20 men, even though he has not studied 15 of the cases.

He emphasized, however, that he would make such a recommendation only if asked for his opinion by the governor. "I doubt that he would ask my recommendation on that broad a scale," Guzman said.

Guzman said, however, that he is prepared to recommend clemency in the five cases he has studied. They involve inmates Orion Trotter, Lonnie Mitchell, Walter Brown, Jerry Johnson and Frank Harris.

All but Harris are Negroes. Trotter and Mitchell were sentenced for rape, the others for murder. Trotter was sentenced in Drew County, Mitchell in Union, Brown in Jefferson, Johnson in Pulaski and Harris in Poinsett.

Les Hollingsworth, prison aid to Rockefeller, said his records indicated that no litigation was pending in any of those five cases.

Guzman, with the aid of U of A law students, made the study under a \$25,000 Ford Foundation grant. He and the students also explored legal and social problems of other inmates.

Material gathered in the study of the Death Row cases will be made available to Rockefeller, he said.

"This will include all of the findings we came up with in each case — the legal background, what flaws we think are in it, the social background of the men involved, plus a lot of talking with prison officials about which men they are highest on, the individual who seem to have the most promise for rehabilitation at this point, and are making contributions to the prison," he said.

Guzman said that everyone on Death Row probably has legal alternatives to pursue to get their cases reopened because of U.S. Supreme Court decisions in recent years.

More avenues of additional litigation may be opened by the William L. Maxwell case, which is pending in federal court in Little Rock. U.S. District Judge J. Smith Henley is considering whether to set aside the conviction and death sentence given Maxwell.

"The potential litigation an inmate could involve himself with is so great that it strikes me that for monetary reasons, if not humanitarian reasons, the state should grant clemency, and reduce the sentences to life in prison," Guzman said.

He said that the states would have to bear the costs of additional litigation against the death penalty, but that such costs would be avoided if the sentences were removed.

The Death Row inmates are:

—Brown, received Nov. 6, 1964 at the prison.

—Harris, received March 13, 1965.

—Johnson, received July 9, 1963.

—Mitchell, received April 13, 1959.

—Trotter, received April 11, 1963.

—Emery B. Bagley, white, received Dec. 4, 1968, from St. Francis County for first-degree murder.

—A. Frank Davis, white, received June 18, 1968, from Garland County for murder.

—Clyde R. Glover, white, received Aug. 28, 1969, from Greene County for first-degree murder.

—Albert Harris, black, received April 11, 1963, from Drew County for rape.

—Carl Jackson, black, received Oct. 10, 1969, from Pulaski county for rape.

—Maxwell, black, received April 5, 1962, from Garland County, rape.

—Roger D. Mosby, black, received Dec. 12, 1969, from Grant County, first-degree murder.

—Dewey R. Murray, white, received Sept. 6, 1969, from St. Francis County, first-degree murder.

—Royce Vann Murphy, white, received Dec. 1, 1969, from Jefferson County, first-degree murder.

—James Scott, black, received Feb. 28, 1970, from St. Francis County, first-degree murder.

—John Henry Sheppard, black, received Oct. 28, 1964, from Union County, murder.

—Clarence Stewart Jr., black, received Sept. 24, 1963, from Pulaski County, murder.

—James Williams, black, re-

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Thank you.
Austin Hutson, Pres.
Hope Lions Club

Pre-inaugural Expenses Bill to Be Offered

By ROBERT SHAW
Associated Press Writer

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Prompted by the experience of Gov.-elect Dale Bumpers, state Sen. Virgil T. Fletcher of Benton plans to introduce a bill in the 1971 legislature that would pay the preinaugural expenses of a newly elected governor.

Fletcher said Wednesday in an interview that he would seek a \$25,000 appropriation that would be set aside for use by Bumpers' successor. The money would be used to pay the tab for the expenses the next governor-elect will incur in preparing to take over the governor's office.

No state money is available to Bumpers. He says he is using leftover campaign funds to finance his preinaugural preparations.

Fletcher said it was ironic that the governor-elect probably is as busy working for the state during the preinaugural period as he ever will be after he is sworn into office, yet the state does not help him pay for the help he needs.

"What the governor-elect is doing is all for the state and I don't think the taxpayers would question for a minute paying for it," Fletcher said. "This is something we should have done years ago."

Other legislators expressed similar sentiments.

"I think we've seen this is a problem," said Sen. Robert Harvey of Swift.

"Most legislators I've heard discuss it feel an appropriation should be made," said Sen. Clarence Bell of Parkin.

ceived Dec. 11, 1964, from Ashley County, murder.

—James Richard Wiser, white, received June 2, 1970, from Carroll County, first-degree murder.

—Franklin D. Bosnick Sr., white, received Aug. 26, 1970, from St. Francis County, first-degree murder.

Bosnick's son, Franklin D. Bosnick Jr., had been convicted as a partner in the same crime as the father, but on Nov. 6, 1970, in retrial, the penalty was reduced from execution to life imprisonment.

The death sentence was ordered for the father at retrial Aug. 24, 1970.

Mosby, charged in the death of a Little Rock taxicab driver, had been tried with Albert N. Williamson, accused in the same crime, but separate trials were ordered by the state Supreme Court. Mosby again was convicted and sentenced to die.

A new trial for Williamson on the murder charge is pending.

Bumpers Can't Agree With WR

By JOHN R. STARR
Associated Press Writer

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Dale Bumpers' doesn't agree with Winthrop Rockefeller's contention that the governor would have been reelected if the general election campaign had lasted another two weeks.

Neither does the governor-elect agree with an impression left by his campaign director, Deloss Walker, that the campaign was designed to "sell" Bumpers to voters much as one would sell merchandise.

Rockefeller said last week that he could have beaten any Democrat except Bumpers and that, given another two weeks, he could have taken Bumpers.

Walker discussed merchandizing aspects of the campaign in a recent interview published in the Arkansas Democrat in which he credited much of the success to his own sensitivity to the "market" in which Bumpers was being presented.

Of Rockefeller's assertion, Bumpers said, "Our polls indicated that he gained very little from the day of the runoff (Sept. 8) until Nov. 3."

Was Rockefeller gaining at the end? "Our polls indicated that we bottomed out about a week before the election and were on a strong upswing until election day," Bumpers said.

Of Walker's remarks, Bumpers said, "There were two or three things in that story that were inaccurate." Although he would not criticize Walker and said he and Walker were still friends, Bumpers said:

"I got the impression from this article that it was some kind of Madison Avenue approach that we took. Nothing could be farther from the truth. I was not trying to 'sell' a package. I was simply Dale Bumpers telling the people what I believed and what I felt."

In the article, Walker was quoted as saying that he had to threaten to quit to keep Bumpers from acceding to demands of "Little Rock liberals" who wanted Bumpers to "jump on" former Gov. Orval E. Faubus, who was leading the field in the first primary.

"There were some people here in Pulaski County who urged me to do that," Bumpers said. "I was so far back in the pack (of eight candidates) that I can't say it was not a temptation, but it was not my idea and I did not have a great deal of difficulty resisting it."

Bumpers said jumping on Faubus or anyone else would have been against his nature.

"I felt that I had something to say and something to offer," he said. "I took the position that if this was what the people wanted, they would vote for me. If it was not, they wouldn't. It was the only kind of campaign I could run. I had to be true to myself throughout the campaign."

The article left an impression that Walker was doing much of the campaign thinking, and Bumpers took issue with this.

"I wrote every word of every speech I ever made," Bumpers said. "Or let me rephrase that. I made notes to myself and made every speech from those notes. All (of the things he discussed) were my ideas. We (he and Walker) conferred from time to time, but basically all the ideas and speeches were mine. He knows that and I'm sure that he didn't intend for it to come out the way it did."

Seven Porks Get Honorable Mention

NEW YORK (AP) — Eight University of Arkansas football players were named to The Associated Press All-American football team or received honorable mention.

Dick Bumpas of Fort Smith, Ark., was the lone Razorback player to be named to the first team. He is a defensive tackle. Bumpas is a 6-foot-3 senior and weighs 218.

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FOR LEASE AT HILLCREST AND IMPERIAL— 1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Central air conditioning. Utilities paid. Some furnished, \$100 up 777-3363, or 777-6731. Also, full equipped EFFICIENCY apartments available by the week. 11-2-1f

FURNISHED APARTMENTS.
Adults only. No drinking. 300 Edgewood. 12-1-1f

FURNISHED APARTMENT,
three rooms, bath, air conditioning, heating. Carport, and washer & dryer connections. Jesse Sinclair, 777-4208. 12-9-4tc

THREE ROOM Furnished apartment. Call 777-5521, Cliff Stewart. 12-9-4tc

FURNISHED APARTMENT-all modern. Adults only. \$60 month. No pets. Call 777-5195. 12-9-1f

24. Mobile Homes

SELL-RENT-LEASE. One bedroom mobile home and lot. Air conditioned, furnished. Move in now. Contact Harry Phillips. 12-9-3tc

27. Ambulance Service
24-HOUR AMBULANCE SERVICE, Call 777-3334, Hempstead County Ambulance Service, Inc. Air conditioned, oxygen equipped, two way radio. Certified courteous attendants. 11-7-1f

39. Job Printing
QUALITY COMMERCIAL Printing - Letterpress or Offset. ETTER PRINTING CO. 983-2634, Washington, Arkansas. 11-26-1f

PIONEER PRINTERS, Village Shopping Center. Printing, office supplies, office furniture, 3M Photo copiers and supplies. 777-6747. 11-9-1f

Services Offered

38. Instruction
CLASSES BEGINNING Now-In oils, pastels, and children's art. Adults and beginners. Day and night classes. 777-2574, Mrs. Karen Morris. 12-8-6tp

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4. Notice

Bicycles & Mini Bikes
10% off On All Bikes
Thursday-Friday & Saturday
Safe-Lock & Key
214 S.Walnut 777-3719 12-8-4tc

4. Notice

We invite you to come and see our Christmas arrangements, and door decorations, now on display. Come by early to make your selections and also to pickup a beautiful F.T.D. Floral Calendar...

Spates Florist
777-2426
12-2-12tc

40. Meat Processing
RALPH MONTGOMERY Custom Slaughtering, and meat processing. Phone 777-3808 or 777-6088. 11-1-1f

41. Miscellaneous
ROWE'S LEATHER.. Hand made saddles, saddle repair, chaps, bridles, blankets, spurs, belts, billfolds, holsters. 777-4666. 11-17-1f

47. Rug Cleaning
CARPET AND BRAIDED rugs cleaned. For free estimation Phone: 777-4670 or see Curtis Yates. 11-17-1f

CARPET COLORS looking dim? Bring 'em back—give 'em vim! Use Blue Lustre! Rent electric shampooer \$1. Hope Furniture Co. 12-8-6tc

CARPETS AND Life too can be beautiful if you use Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Home Furniture Co. 12-5-6tc

52. Watch Repair
FINEST WATCH & Jewelry repair. All work guaranteed. Party napkins for all occasions, personalized, printed. Stewart's Jewelry Store, 208 South Main. 11-6-1f

For The Home

55.A Appliance Repair
CALL LARRY REDLICH for all your appliance repair, including: air conditioning, refrigeration and heating. 777-5764. 11-20-1f

59. Miscellaneous
SINGER SEWING Machine Service, also repair any make or model. Free estimates. Fabric Center, 777-5313. 11-19-1f

HOME REPAIRS, roofing, paneling, painting, general repairs. Call 777-4016 after 4 in the evenings. 12-9-1mc

79. Homes
CHOICE LOCATION
23 Acres close in. Two bedroom home, good well, natural gas, practically new barn, with electricity. Pond, excellent fence. Beautiful Building sites!! This property is East of Town..in exactly the right spot!!! See us at Once! **Greening Ellis Co.** Insurance—Loans—Real Estate 209 S. Main 777-4661 12-8-4tc

79. Homes

5 Acres On 67 East
Just listed a beautiful five acre wooded tract two miles east of Hope on U.S. Highway No 67. Ideal for a country home. Priced to sell for \$2,750.00.
Wanted!
50 to 200 acre tract on paved road near Hope or Prescott. We have a buyer for this land.
Foster Realty Co., Inc.
512 East Third
Phone 777-4691 12-8-4tc

4. Notice

PRE-CHRISTMAS REVIVAL
FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
322 NORTH MAIN
EVANGELIST, CHARLES L. OGDON
7 P.M. - EXCEPT SATURDAY
-THE PUBLIC IS INVITED- 12-9-1f

4. Notice

WANTED
Someone To Take Over Payments
On Repossessed Merchandise

1—Westinghouse Console Stereo	\$10.00 mo.
1—16 pound Washer	\$12.00 mo.
1—Portable Record Player	\$5.00 mo.
1—Pair Matching Washer & Dryer	\$12.50 mo.
1—Black & White Portable T.V.	\$10.00 mo.

BARGINS BARGINS BARGINS
GOOD YEAR
W. Third & Pine 777-5777 12-9-2tc

59. Miscellaneous
SINGER SEWING MACHINES. Don't be mislead! For the only authorized Singer Sewing Machine Sales & Service in the Hope area. Repossessed Zig Zag, \$5 per month. In town on Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Call McLain Cleaners, 777-6333. 11-9-1f

60. Painting Services
PAINTING AND PAPER hanging by the hour or contract. Free estimation. Clifton Whitten, phone 777-6494. 11-17-1f

SPRAY PAINTING- contracted or hourly rates. Urethane foam applied, roofing, vaults, insulation. Also Artic Coat paint for sale- wholesale only. P.O. Box 447 Blevins, Ark. 501-874-3711 or 501-874-3601. 11-24-1mp

62. Piano Tuning
EXPERT PIANO TUNING and repair. Call 777-5457 for more information. 11-19-1f

63. Plumbing Services
PONDER PLUMBING Company. Contractor, repair, heating, Sewer, etc. Day or night 777-5528 or 887-6878. 11-6-1f

Articles For Sale

67. Antiques
UNIQUE, QUALITY GIFTS for Christmas, all-occasions. Reasonable prices. ADDRESS ACRES ANTIQUES, Spring Hill Road. 11-18-1mc

WE HAVE A Large selection of new glass items, as well as old, for your Christmas Giving. HOUSE OF BOTTLES, Washington, Ark. 12-4-18tc

79. Homes

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SIX ROOM HOUSE with one acre land on East Sixth. All home owner neighborhood. Also upright piano. Shown by appointment only. Will handle paper. Call Clifford Franks, 777-2210. 11-11-1mc

TWO BEDROOM, located on North Mockingbird in Hope. 1-3 Bedroom located just out of Hope. Financing available on both. For complete information call Johnny Jones 318-746-1987 or write P.O. Box 5575 Bossier City, Louisiana. 12-8-4tp

79. B. Real Estate
FORTY ACRES in Nevada County Southwest of Northeast, Township 27, Range 14, West 23, on Highway 355 Southeast of Patmos. Write R. L. Walden, Route 1, Box 30, Foreman, Arkansas, or call 542-6865. 12-8-6tc

83. Pets & Supplies

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84. Sporting Equipment

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Farm Products

88. Livestock
REGISTERED ANGUS Bulls Yearlings to two year olds. Circle E.S. Ranches, Inc. Ozan, Arkansas. 983-2698 or 983-2317. 11-17-1f

NINE-TO-TWELVE Week old pigs for sale. For more information call 777-6767. 12-4-6tc

68. Appliances
WESTINGHOUSE Refrigerator, 14 ft. Used. Excellent condition. Priced, \$35.00. Call 777-2736, 1015 West Fifth. 12-10-4tp

71. Cars or Trucks
WANTED—Late model used cars and pickup trucks. Hope Volkswagen, Inc. See James Gaines or J.B. Ingram, Jr. Phone 777-5726 or 777-6100. 11-25-1f

WANTED—USED CARS and trucks. Cash paid. Harry Phillips Used Cars, 1010 West Third, 777-2522. 11-1-1f

FOR SALE: 1965 FORD- ten-passenger Station Wagon, fully equipped. Price \$500. Telephone 777-3345. 12-4-6tc

1967 FORD GALAXIE 500, four-door sedan, V8, automatic transmission, power steering, air conditioning. Extra clean. Call 777-2452. 12-9-6tc

74. Furniture

WAKLER'S NEW & USED furniture, 777-6233, 213 S. Main Give highest prices for your furniture. Will sell-trade-or buy. 11-7-1f

LUCK'S USED FURNITURE CO. See me before buying or selling H.E. Luck, 904 North Hazel, 777-4381. 11-7-1f

78. Miscellaneous

BICYCLE & MINI BIKE Sales and Service. All new Vista Bike's. Fine quality, guaranteed. Wide selection of models and sizes to choose from. Safe Lock & Key, 214 South Walnut, 777-3718. 12-1-1mc

ROSE BUSHES, Azaleas, Camellias, fruit trees, shrubs, bedding plants and pottery. E. H. Byers Nursery, Highway 29 South, call 777-3543. 12-9-1mc

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91. Produce
FOR THE Holidays ahead...one half bushel apples, \$1.95; 20 lb. bag Texas Oranges, \$1.50; 20 lbs. Navel oranges, \$2.00; 20 lbs. Grapefruit, \$1.50; 100 lbs. potatoes, \$4.50; Spanish Peanuts, 3 lbs. \$1.00; Roasted Peanuts, 2 lbs. 97c, Pecans, English Walnuts, Brazil nuts, mixed nuts, new Sorghum, Holiday candy and fireworks. Russell's Curb Market, 902 West Third. 12-9-14tc

WIN AT BRIDGE

Brilliant Play Is Old Man Z's Bag
By Oswald & James Jacoby

NORTH 10
▲ K J 10 9 4 2
♦ 8 6 2
♥ 7
♠ K 10 8

WEST 7
▲ K J 10
♦ Q 10 5 3 2
♥ 6 5 4 2

EAST 63
♥ Q 7 3
♦ K J 9 6 4
♠ A J 9

SOUTH (D) 8
▲ A Q 8 5
♦ A 9 5 4
♥ A 8
♠ Q 7 3

Both vulnerable
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass
2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
3 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
?

Opening lead—♦ 3

"You haven't been doing well with your dummy play lately," said the Professor to the Student. "I'm playing with old man Z tonight. He will never learn contract bidding, but watch him play the dummy. His experience in the auction bridge columns makes him as good as anyone."

The Student shuddered when he heard the old man open with one spade. The Professor raised Z right to game and West opened the three of diamonds. The Student looked at the dummy and saw that the Professor had made the winning bid, as he usually did, and that the spade game would probably make. He counted two heart losers and either one or two club losers.

East played the diamond king and Z let East hold the trick. The Student's eyes bulged out. Back came the three of hearts. This time, the old man was ready with the ace. He played two rounds of trumps, discarded one of dummy's hearts on the ace of diamonds and led a second heart.

West was in and played the six of clubs but time had run out for the defense. The

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eight was played from dummy and East's nine forced South's queen. South ruffed a third heart in dummy. When both opponents followed, he returned to his hand with a third trump and discarded one of dummy's clubs on that 13th heart. "Brilliant," said the student. "If you hadn't let East hold that first trick, West would have gained the lead twice with hearts. If he had led a club each time, you would have had to lose two clubs and two hearts, the way the cards lay. Your play risked nothing and actually brought in the contract."

JACOBY MODERN, the System for the Seventies, is available through this newspaper. Send name, address, Zip code and \$1 to "Win at Bridge," c/o (Name Newspaper), P.O. Box 489, Dept. (first three digits local Zip code), Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019.

CARD Sense

The bidding has been:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♦ Pass
2 N.T. Pass 3 ♦ Pass
3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
?

You, South, hold:
▲ K 6 ♥ A 9 7 ♦ K Q 4 ♠ A Q J 3 2

What do you do now?
A—Bid four no-trump. You will bid six diamonds if your partner shows one ace.

TODAY'S QUESTION
You bid four no-trump and your partner bids five hearts to show two aces. What do you do now?
Answer Tomorrow

Basketball

Basketball received its name in 1891 when half-bushel peach baskets were used to replace the square boxes called for in rules drafted by the game's inventor, James Naismith.

SHORT RIBS



LEGAL NOTICE

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NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY, ARKANSAS DELMAR NELSON, PLAINTIFF VS. MARGARET NELSON, DEFENDANT.

NO. 9740

WARNING ORDER

The Defendant, Margaret Nelson, is hereby warned to appear in this Court within thirty (30) days and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff, Delmar Nelson, and upon her failure so to do, said complaint will be taken as confessed.

WITNESS MY HAND as Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hempstead County, Arkansas, and the seal of said Court, this 8 day of December, 1970.

Jim Cole
Clerk

Dec. 10, 17, 24, 31, 1970

BARBS

Part of the magic of the yule season is that kids accept without question the



transition of Santa from a fat, jolly elf to a skinny, jolly elf from store to store.

No one has a patent on inventing excuses.

By FRANK O'NEAL



Willy Want Ad says...

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Hope Star
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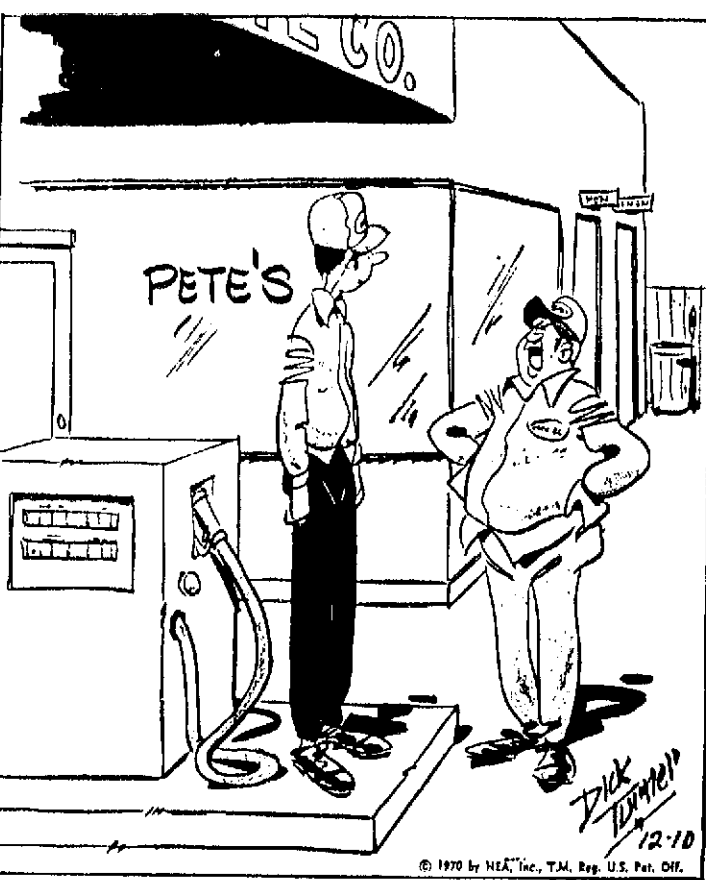
By GILL FOX



"Report anyone you see lurking near the utility room, Dawes. Our last distinguished speaker was chased off the stage with a broom!"

CARNIVAL

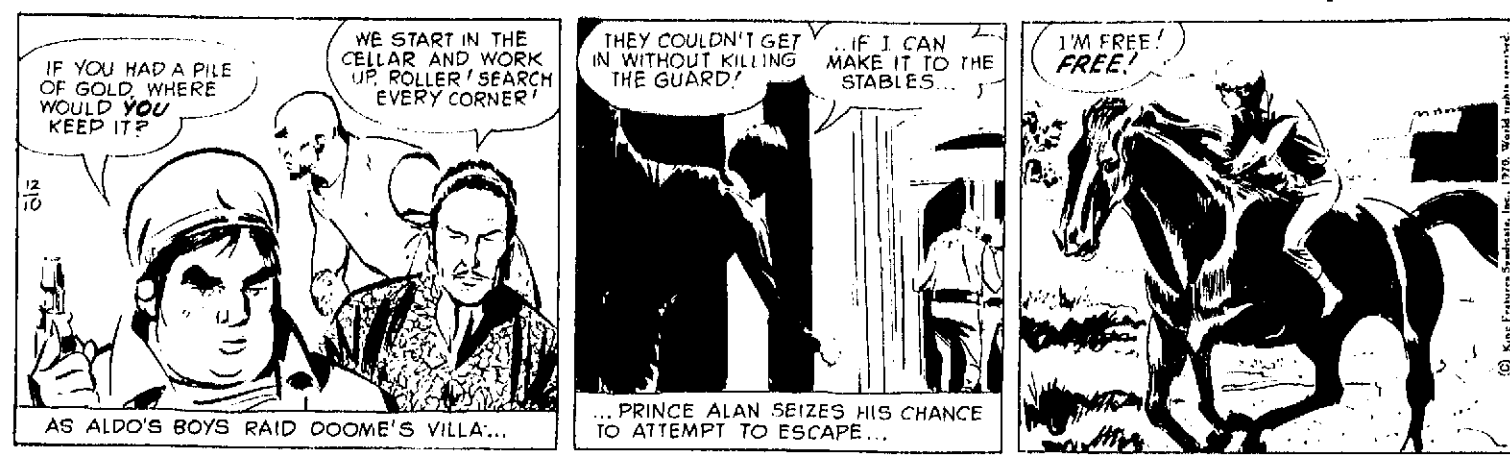
By DICK TURNER



"By the way, Beamish, gasoline isn't the only thing we're going to get the lead out of around here!"

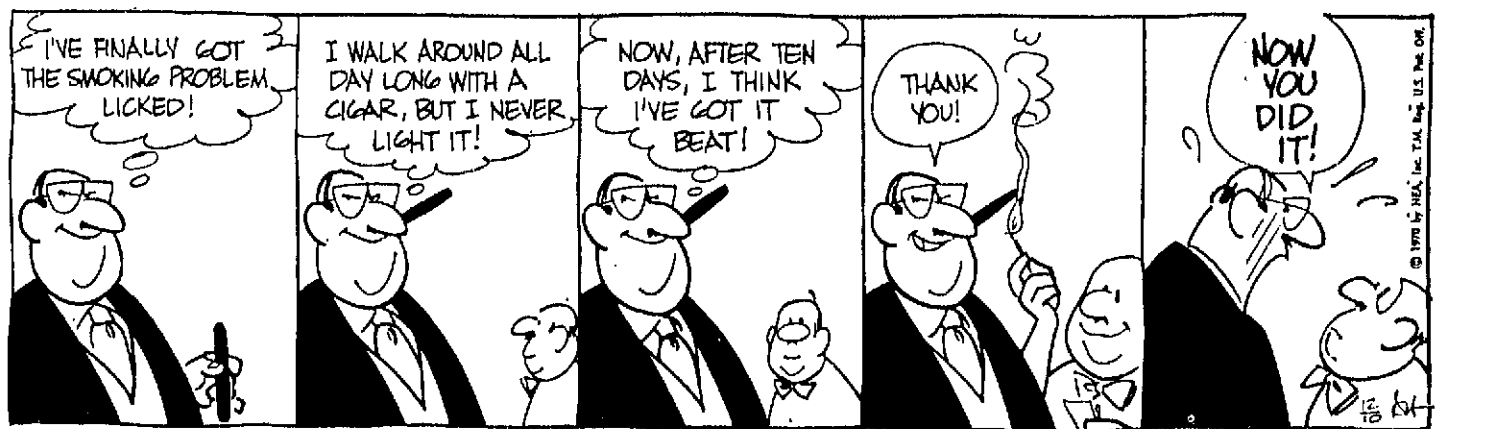
FLASH GORDON

By DAN BARRY



THE BORN LOSER

By ART SANSON



OUT OUR WAY

By NEG COCKRAN



"HOW'S THAT? A LITTLE SOMETHIN' I MADE OUT OF STRAWS, TOOTH PICKS AN' PAPER TO CHEER MA UP WHILE SHE'S SICK IN BED? I THINK SHE'LL APPRECIATE IT, DON'T YOU?"

QUICK QUIZ

Q—Where is the largest natural bridge in the world?
A—Rainbow Bridge National Monument in Utah, just north of the Arizona border, has the largest natural bridge in the world.

Q—What oak is reputed to be America's biggest white oak tree?
A—The Wye Oak on the eastern shore of Maryland. The official state tree of Maryland, it is 450 years old and still flourishing.

World Travel

ACROSS

1 River in China
7 German city
13 Oleic acid salt
14 Rich fur
15 Strong scented herb
16 Small candles
17 Reply (ab.)
18 Sahara garden spot
20 Small spot
21 Move smoothly
22 Sharp tip
26 Lets
31 Venetian resort
32 Persia
33 English pub
34 Apple center
35 City in Scotland
39 French annual income
40 Idolize
42 Feature of Florence, Italy
45 Nations
46 Scottish negative
49 Clergyman
51 Early Romans
53 Runs away to wed
54 Russian stockades
55 Answer in kind
56 Dispassionate

DOWN

1 South American shrub
2 Short-eared dog (her.)

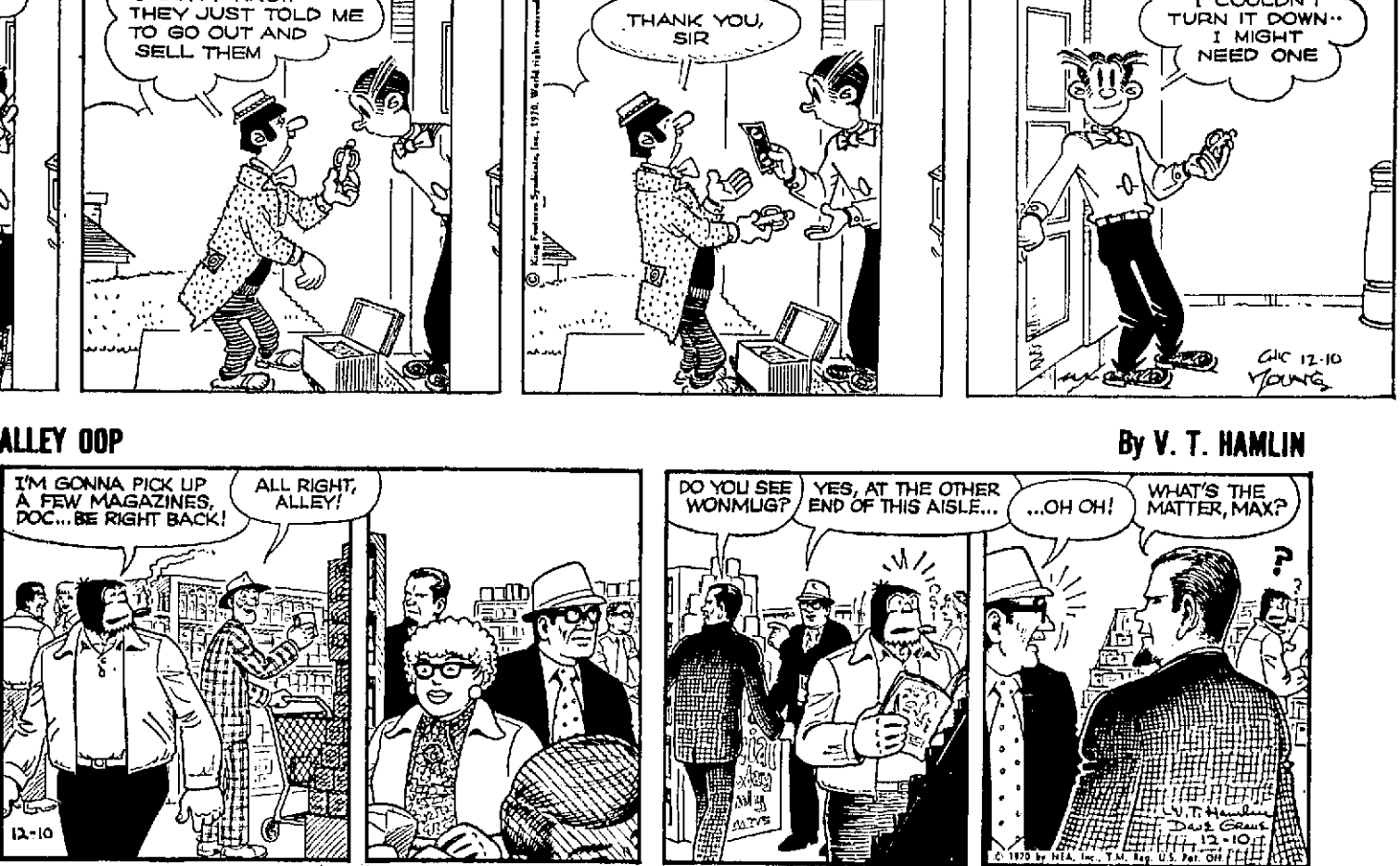
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4 Light brown
5 Indolent
6 Asian kingdom
7 Come to pass
8 Expunged
9 Royal Mounted Police (ab.)
10 Falsified
11 Nested boxes
12 Arboreal home
19 Slight taste, as of wine
23 Metallic scoria
24 Medicinal pellet
24 Formulated thought
25 Antarctic sea

27 Small rodents
28 County in Utah
29 Small pastry
30 Disk
36 Spat
37 Most unusual
38 Affliction
39 Glut anew
41 Chest rattles (ab.)
42 Genus of

43 Precept
44 Horse's gait
46 East Indian palm
47 The dill
48 Essential being
50 GI's address (ab.)
52 Child

ALLEY OOP

By V. T. HAMLIN



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By MAJOR HOOPLE



"MR. AND MRS. SMIRSH, THIS IS MY HUSBAND, AMOS! HE'S RETIRED."

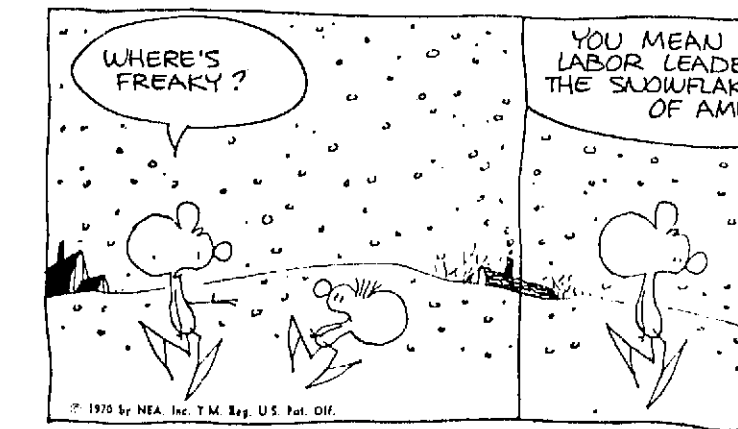
CAPTAIN EASY

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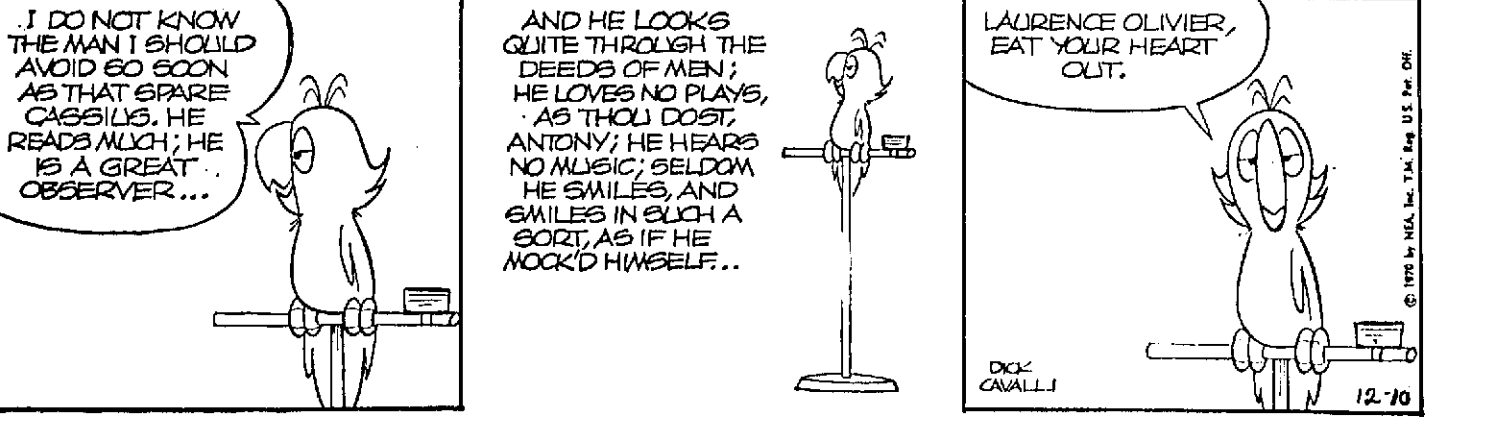
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"WHERE'S FREAKY?"

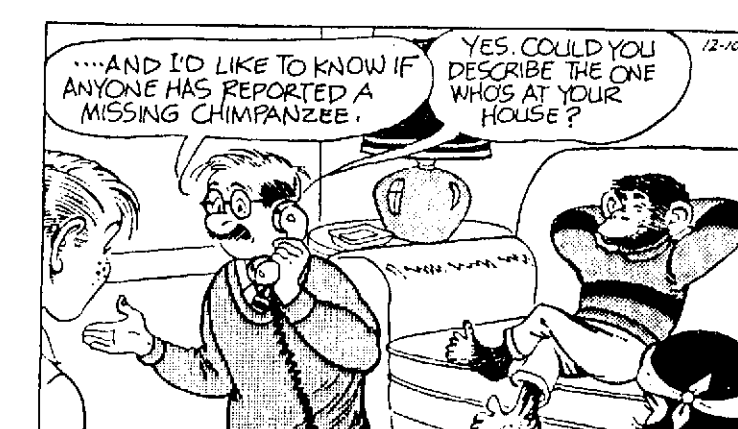
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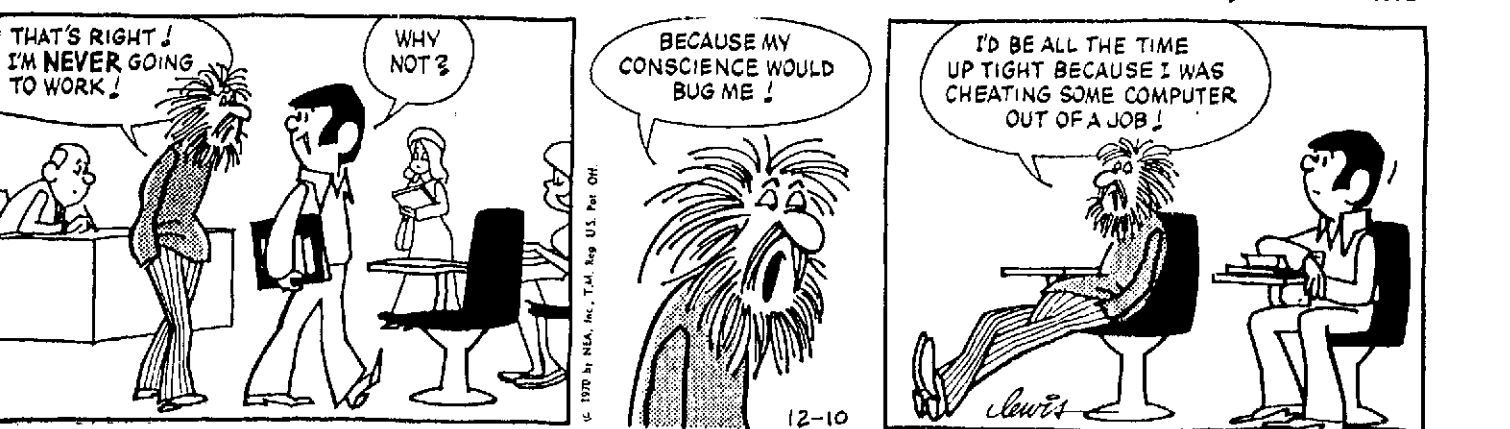
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"...AND I'D LIKE TO KNOW IF ANYONE HAS REPORTED A MISSING CHIMPANZEE."

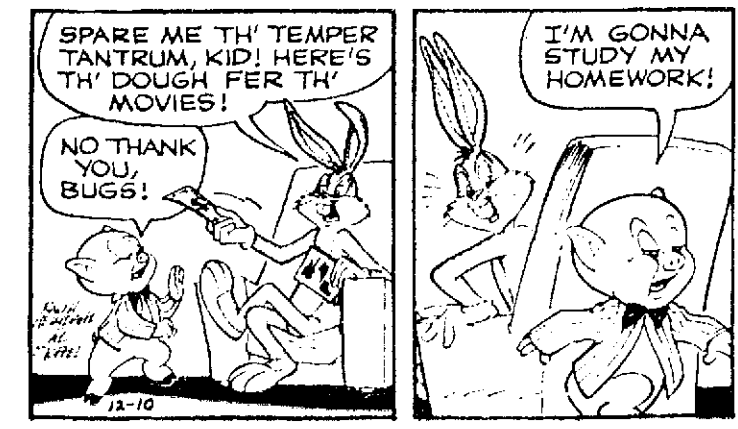
CAMPUS CLATTER

By LARRY LEWIS



BUGS BUNNY

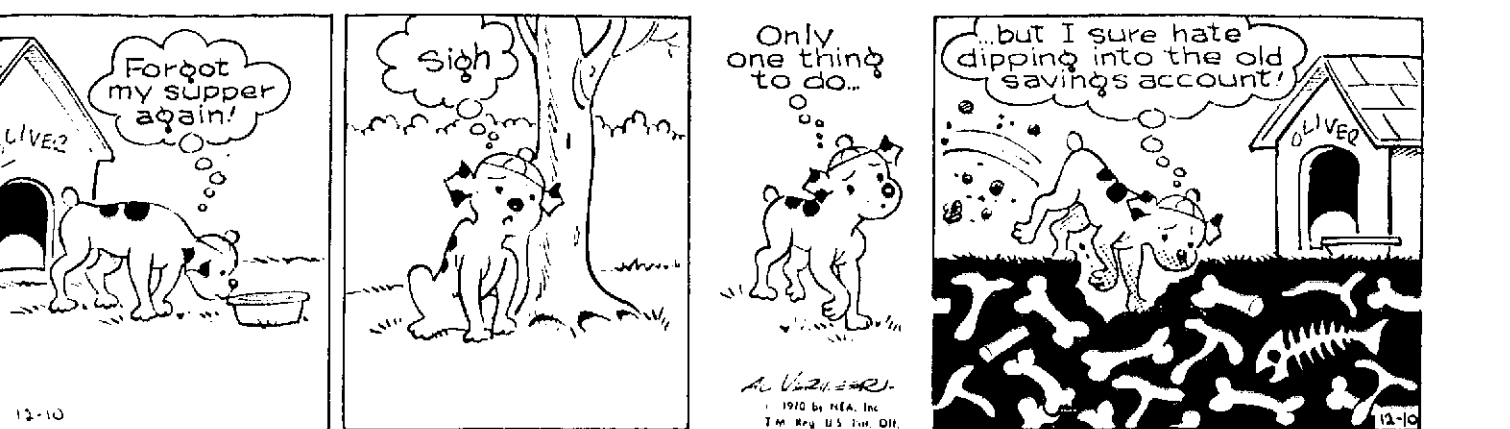
By RALPH HEIMOHAHL



"SPARE ME TH' TEMPER TANTRUM, KID! HERE'S TH' DOUGH FER TH' MOVIES!"

PRICILLA'S POP

By AL VERMER



"Forgot my supper again!"



WITH SPRING in mind, Liz Holmes models a hat featuring a deep petticoat brim of ostrich fronds tipped with guinea fowl feathers. A matching muff is an added attraction.

Court Docket

CITY DOCKET

Junior Lee Reed, Jimmy Williams, Drunkenness, Plea guilty, fined \$16.50
Faye Clerk, Wm. Landes, Thomas Lindsey, Gus E. Rumbo, Ray Eugene Smith, Herbert D. Tyree, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Chas. B. Peeks, Herbert Ray Wood, No driver's license, Plea guilty, fined \$11.50
Edward Dixon, No driver's license (2nd offense), Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Howard Henry Dixon, No driver's license, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond
Warren Highfield, Driving while intoxicated, Forfeited \$106.50 cash bond
Leon Minor, Herbert Ray Wood, Driving while intoxicated, Plea guilty, fined \$106.50 and 1 day in jail
Gary Thrasher, Speeding, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Luther C. Stuart, James Wingfield, Expired driver's license, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond
Rebecca Lee McBride, J.E. McWilliams, Failure to yield right of way, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Chas. B. Peeks, Reckless driving, Plea guilty, fined \$31.50
Danny L. Cross, Hazardous driving, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Hazel Hendrix, Assault with a deadly weapon, Forfeited \$56.50 cash bond
Junior Lee Reed, Indecent exposure, Plea guilty, fined \$56.50
Joe Johnson, Gaming, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Osie Johnson, Possessing over legal amount of taxed intoxicating liquor, Plea guilty, fined \$156.50
Danny L. Cross, Failure to answer summons, Forfeited \$26.50 cash bond
James Leslie Broodius, Millard Haychine, Ernest Smith, Jr., Cline B. Smith, Ray Samuel Wasso, Prohibitive traffic on new I-30 Highway, Forfeited \$31.50 cash bond

STATE DOCKET

Lester L. Chamberlain, Drinking on highway, Forfeited \$31.50 cash bond
Yvonne L. Windsor, No driver's license, Plea guilty, fined \$26.15
James E. Smith, Driving while intoxicated, Plea of not guilty; tried, found guilty, fined \$136.15, 1 day in jail
Kenneth R. Allen, Harvey Beasley, Fred Fuller, Terry L. Harper, Joy Honeycutt, Julius E. Keith, Speeding, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond
Wm. R. Whiten, Improper passing, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond
Elmer A. Davis, Failure to yield, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond
James R. Clark, Albert L. Smith, Passing on yellow line, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond
Wm. J. Green, Reckless driving, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond
Mike L. Newton, Shooting ducks with unplugged gun, Plea of nolo contendere, fine of \$25.00 and \$21.15 cost suspended
James Teague, Shooting ducks with unplugged gun, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond
Kenneth Cockerman, Jimmy Hurley, Shooting ducks after legal hours, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond
Robert L. Williams, Moving permit load without license, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond
Steve R. Stevens, Permit Load on new I-30, Forfeited \$46.15 cash

Melton Truck Lines, Overweight, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond
Bonnie Callucutt, Giving an overdraft, Dismissed; check and cost paid
The following forfeited \$31.15 cash bond on charge of Failure to obey Traffic Sign:
Horace Baker, Olen E. Bartlett, Clark W. Ebernard, Jr., Edward J. Bradford, Wm. P. Brown
David N. Brown Leo F. Brown, Jay A. Burgasser, Calvin D. Boyd, L.P. Campbell
Edward L. Culpepper, Donald E. Clinker, Earnest E. Collins, Deva O. Dixon, Larry E. Douglas, John J. Fitzgerald, E.M. Fliverash, Robert W. Garrison, Eugene P. Gilbert, Wm. Gilmych, Anson D. Goetsch, Arnold D. Grabowski, Jerry W. Heckler, Bobby I. Holland, Stephen Lee Hunter
Charlie J. Hughes, James W. Johnson, Claud W. Kirby, V.W. Kneeland, Billy E. Ladd
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Bonnie G. Miller, Louis W. McGraw, Alford M. Neal, Kenneth Norman, J.W. Page
Wm. G. Powell, Ivan A. Rogers, Robert E. Routley,

James Farmer Returning to Old Role

By G. C. THELEN Jr.
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) —

Delbert H. Robbins, Earl Rowell, James L. Rowland, Jerry E. Roe, Kenneth Scott, George J. Simmons, John W. Spencer, Earnest Smith, Roy W. Smith, Nilly O. Sullivan, Finas S. Taylor, Thomas R. Tulbert, Wm. Webster

James Farmer is returning to his old role as a civil rights activist after what he says were generally unhappy 20 months inside the federal bureaucracy. "I must confess that I chafed in the ponderous bureaucracy and long—especially now—for my old role as advocate, critic, activist," said the 50-year-old former head of the Congress of Racial Equality in announcing his resignation Monday as an assistant secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. Farmer, one of the Nixon administration's top black officials and probably its best known, said the crucial factor in his resignation was not his disagreement with the President's racial policies. "I haven't been satisfied with the civil rights policies of any administration," he said at a news conference. "I have had differences with this administration as with other administrations."

Farmer declined to disclose these disagreements until he leaves the government in two weeks to lecture, write his autobiography, and organize a "think tank" to inject the ideas of minority groups into government. His goal, he said, is to address the racial and economic divisions of the nation. "I am convinced that this road, within government, is not the one through which I personally, can be most effective serving my people and my nation," Farmer said. His long-rumored departure was disclosed officially at the White House after a cordial exchange of letters and a meeting with the President. Farmer is leaving "on a very, very good basis," a White House spokesman said. The one-time leader of sit-ins and freedom rides in the South dealt at HEW with management

problems and children's programs, not civil rights enforcement. "I have sought quietly, inside, to pursue the elusive objectives of lasting change for my people," Farmer said. "There have been limited successes—in short range they have been minimal; in the long range possibly significant. The achievements are not sufficient, or fast enough, to satisfy my appetite for progress," Farmer said.

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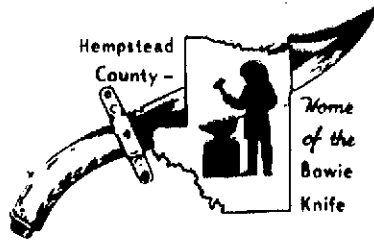
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ALC Silent on Use Tax Exemptions

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Legislative Advisory Committee on Tax Reform decided Wednesday to make no recommendation on whether to recommend the repeal of use tax exemptions.

The matter came up as the 100-member committee, formed by legislative resolution, reviewed a draft of a committee report on reforming the state's tax structure. The committee approved the report, which is to be presented to the Arkansas Legislative Council.

The report said that Arkansans are not "bearing a particularly high level" of taxes to pay for state and local governmental services.

It said that in 1969 the portion of Arkansas' per capita income that went for state and local taxes was 9.51 per cent while the national average was 11.2 per cent.

Arkansas' tax effort in relation to their income and ability to pay was only 85.5 per cent of the nationwide effort, the report said. The state and local governments would earn \$70.5 million more if the figure was brought up to 100 per cent, the report said.

Members of the committee skirmished briefly over whether to repeal the use tax exemptions. The arguments were similar to those raised during the 1969 legislative session over a Senate bill that would have removed the exemptions. The Senate bill was defeated.

The original recommendation to the committee, proposed by its Sales and Use Tax Subcommittee, was that the state retain exemptions granted manufacturing and processing machinery and equipment and motor carriers, railroads and public utilities.

Ronald Winningham of Walnut Ridge suggested that the recommendation should be that they be repealed. He said he felt the exemptions were an inducement in attracting industry to the state, but he said other states did not allow the tax break.

He said other states provided an inducement by maintaining low corporate income taxes and suggested that Arkansas should follow that example.

Charles B. Maynard of Little Rock, said, however, that imposing the 3 per cent tax would drive away industry. "Nobody comes to Arkansas because they love us—it's to make a good profit," he said.

He said Arkansas was making progress in industrialization, but he said last year the state attracted a third less industry than Tennessee, a half less than Oklahoma and less than Mississippi and Louisiana.

The committee adopted a motion by Sen. Joe Ford of Little Rock to make no recommendation on the section.

The committee adopted recommendations to broaden the 3 per cent sales tax to include a tax on services. It also approved a recommendation that the sales tax be applied to cigarettes, newspaper, periodical and billboard advertising and on sales of used property. It voted down a provision that the tax be charged on gasoline and other motor fuels.

The committee report also suggested that taxpayers with taxable incomes below \$3,000 should be exempt from the individual income tax. It recommended a more progressive income tax system.

NATO Spending Nearly \$1 Trillion, Mostly From U.S. Taxpayers

Liberalized Family Aid Plan Pushed

By JOE HALL
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — A liberalized version of President Nixon's family assistance plan will be pushed in the Senate as an amendment to a bill providing across-the-board increases in Social Security benefits.

Sen. Abraham A. Ribicoff, D-Conn., said the Nixon administration has agreed to the revised version of its embattled welfare reform plan. Ribicoff and Sen. Wallace F. Bennett, R-Utah, will sponsor the proposal.

The Senate Finance Committee refused to approve the far-reaching Nixon plan, voting instead for a limited two-year test of the proposal and two alternatives. The House passed the Nixon plan last April.

Debate on the Social Security bill is scheduled in the Senate Tuesday, but Congress is pushing toward adjournment next week and the measure's chances of passage are considered slim because of several amendments which have nothing to do with Social Security.

The Social Security bill started out as a measure to raise benefits for 26 million Americans. But through legislative maneuvering, such diverse proposals as a foreign-trade bill and controls on Medicare and Medicaid have been attached as amendments.

The final version of the basic bill won 12-5 approval of the Finance Committee Wednesday. In completing action on Social Security, the committee adopted a new tax schedule to finance the benefits.

The maximum earnings from which Social Security taxes are withheld would be raised from the present \$7,800 to \$9,000 in 1971, and the tax rate on employer and employee would move from the present 4.8 per cent to 5.2 per cent next year.

Ribicoff said if the Social Security bill goes down the drain, he and Bennett are ready to offer their welfare amendment to some other bill, possibly an excise tax extension measure.

Proves to Be Just a Plain Sucker for a Door-to-Door Salesman

By WILLIAM L. CHAZE
Associated Press Writer
ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — The door-to-door encyclopedia salesman stood grinning in his gray suit, his left foot already in the door, his right hand swinging forward the bulky briefcase.

I have long been a sucker for door-to-door salesmen; something about the boldness of their approach flusters me, makes me anxious enough to get rid of them that I'll buy most anything.

At various times I've purchased an aluminum umbrella, a watch that tells me the time in Hong Kong as well as Sydney and ripple-soled plastic shoes two sizes too small. No matter, say I as a sopping my cowardice.

After each of these bizarre purchases I've searched for some way to deflect the sales pitch, to send the salesman to find another victim.

As the encyclopedia salesman entered, he was already fumbling with the catch, and taking a covered volume from the neatly compartmentalized interior and smirking. As we settled in the living room one could perceive that this was a man with a system—even his compartments in the briefcase had compartments and his pitch was perfectly timed so that the words moved neatly with the display of this item or that.

He tolerated no interruptions. "A house without an encyclopedia is just a house," he

By CARL HARTMAN
Associated Press Writer
BRUSSELS (AP) — In the last 21 years the 15 members of NATO have spent nearly 1½ trillion dollars on defense. More than a trillion of that came from U.S. taxpayers.

A trillion is a thousand billions or a million millions. You get some idea of the amount if you add up the total value of all goods and services produced in the United States this year; it will just approach a trillion dollars.

Officials of NATO, the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, put at \$1,469,396,000,000 the total defense outlays of these nations since 1949. Annual expenditures grew from \$18.7 billion in 1949 to \$108.4 billion last year.

The total for this year is expected to drop to \$102.8 billion, because of a cut in U.S. defense spending. It is likely to start mounting again in 1971 because the Nixon administration plans to ask for more.

These are the 15 NATO members' defense expenditures both inside and outside the NATO area.

At NATO's annual meeting last week 10 European allies

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Clemency for 5 on Death Row Urged

By BILL SIMMONS
Associated Press Writer
FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Associate Prof. Ray Guzman of the University of Arkansas Law School said Wednesday he favors clemency for five Death Row inmates whose cases he has studied in detail.

Guzman, 35, is the man Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller plans to consult before leaving office in January about possible clemency for the 20 condemned men at Tucker Prison Farm.

Rockefeller had mentioned a Tuesday night news conference the figure 23 in connection with the number of death sentence cases, but only 20 men are under death sentence at

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Amity Child Dies in Accident

ARKADELPHIA, Ark. (AP) — Tana Lee Wilson, 3, of Amity (Clark County) was killed Wednesday night when the truck in which she was riding went out of control, ran off Arkansas 8 about 20 miles west of here and overturned.

The truck was driven by Wayne Wilson, 25, of Amity. He was hospitalized at Hot Springs, police said.

Prisoner Exchange Offered

By DAVID MASON
Associated Press Writer
PARIS (AP) — South Vietnam and the United States said today they would agree to the release of all North Vietnamese prisoners immediately if U.S. and other allied prisoners were freed.

The Viet Cong, in apparent rejection of the proposal, said it is prepared to enter into discussion of release of American prisoners today but only if the United States declares its readiness to withdraw all its troops before June 30, 1971.

The Viet Cong statement, issued during a closed-door ses-

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Burns' Anti-inflation Program Power Play to Freeze Wages, Prices

By BILL NEIKIRK
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Arthur F. Burns' new anti-inflation program appears a power play to shove the Nixon administration into a more activist role in holding down wage and price increases.

While many officials doubt the administration will go as far as the Federal Reserve Board chairman suggests, they feel Burns' proposals will have some impact on Nixon's economic strategy.

Spokesman for the Fed and Nixon's Council of Economic Advisers deny any move by Burns to change administration policy, but his speech in Los Angeles Monday night was the frankest appraisal to date on its possible failures.

And sources cited evidence that Nixon already has taken up some of the Burns' line. They noted the President's steps last Friday to roll back oil price increases and his threat to intervene in construction industry bargaining procedures.

Among other things, Burns suggested compulsory arbitration of big labor contracts, a wage-price review board and a change in minimum wage laws for teen-agers as steps that might be needed to check inflation.

Nixon may be persuaded to follow Burns' advice because he badly needs the fiercely inde-

Cold Front, Rain Seen for Arkansas

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The weather picture for Arkansas calls for rain through Friday as a cold front begins to move through the state tonight. However, the forecast for the weekend is much better.

The National Weather Service said that Saturday through Monday there will be sunny days and fair nights with temperatures in the 50s and low 60s during the day and 30s and 40s at night.

The highs Wednesday ranged from 64 at Harrison to 74 at Texarkana. Overnight lows were Fayetteville, 58; Harrison, 55; Jonesboro, 50; Pine Bluff, 56; Texarkana, 61; El Dorado, 61; Memphis, 51; Little Rock, 57 and Fort Smith, 60.

A trace of precipitation was recorded at Jonesboro during the 24-hour period ending at 6:30 a.m. today.

Both Sides Reject U.S. Cease-fire

SAIGON (AP) — The Saigon government joined the Viet Cong today in rejecting the U.S. talk of an extended cease-fire beginning with Christmas.

Informed sources said the South Vietnamese government had decided after consultations with Washington to announce 24-hour cease-fires for Christmas, New Year's and the Tet festival of the lunar new year during the last week of January. The announcement is expected soon.

The Viet Cong has already announced three-day cease-fires for Christmas and New Year's and four days for Tet.

South Vietnamese officials said that at no time in recent weeks had U.S. officials consulted them about an extended cease-fire. They said they learned of the talk in Washington only through newspaper reports, and President Nguyen Van Thieu's office reacted angrily to reports published locally that his government was consulting with the United States about a long cease-fire.

Secretary of State William P. Rogers said last week that a cease-fire of at least a month beginning at Christmas was under consideration.

pendent Fed to carry out his political goals of stimulating the economy and moving the nation toward full employment. The Fed, with its controls over the flow of money and credit, would have a vital role to play in both instances.

In his talk, Burns flatly rejected the administration's heavy reliance on fiscal and monetary policies alone to keep wages and prices from going up.

"What I see clearly is the need for our nation to recognize that we are dealing, practically speaking, with a new problem—namely persistent inflation in the face of substantial unemployment—and that the classical remedies may not work well enough or fast enough in this case," he said.

Burns called for the administration to employ more active use of an incomes policy, broadly defined direct White House pressure on wage and price increases.

Sources said what came across is the Fed may be unwilling to expand the money supply as fast as Nixon wants unless the President demonstrates a more hard-nosed attitude on pending wage and price boosts.

Burns said he feared that stimulating the economy to restore full employment in the absence of such a policy would touch off a new wave of inflation.

But some officials speculated that Burns made his speech only to reply to a recent remark by Paul W. McCracken, one of Nixon's economic advisers, that advocates of an incomes policy should get specific.

Evening Shade Man Killed

EVENING SHADE, Ark. (AP) — Marion K. Paysinger, 65, of near Evening Shade was fatally injured Wednesday when his car hit a building here after running off U.S. 167, State Police reported.

Two Accidents Investigated

Hope City Police investigated two auto accidents yesterday, one occurring on S. Elm involving cars driven by Oliver Nelson and Estelle Wilson. There was small damage and Officers Neal and Sinyard filed no charges.

At Third and Hervey cars driven by Noble Scott and Mary Cathy McRoy collided with considerable damage resulting to both vehicles. Officer Sinyard investigated.

Emergency Law Orders Railway Workers Back, Some Are Returning

Commuters First to Feel Strike

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Thousands of the nation's suburban commuters were among the first to feel the effects of today's nationwide rail strike, but officials predicted far more serious consequences if the walk-out is a long one.

Auto industry officials spoke of a shutdown in as little as 48 hours. Perishable food products could become scarce in days. A Tennessee Valley Authority spokesman talked of a power crisis in a week.

Some layoffs began as the strike started and job furloughing was expected to mushroom if the strike is not quickly settled.

Christmas mails could be seriously delayed under a partial mail embargo.

In the New York metropolitan

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Assures No Troops Going to Cambodia

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State William P. Rogers gave the Nixon administration's endorsement today to a ban on funds for American ground combat troops in Cambodia voted by the Senate.

Rogers emphasized to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that the only commitment the Nixon administration has to Cambodia is to provide aid, adding, "We are not guaranteeing the defense of Cambodia nor have we promised to continue our aid indefinitely."

Rogers was asked about the Senate decision to add a ban on U.S. ground combat forces for Cambodia to one enacted a year earlier covering Laos and Thailand. While the administration opposes any congressional moves to tie President Nixon's hands, he replied, "I certainly have no opposition to that proposal."

"It carries out the President's intention," he added. "We have no intention of using ground forces in Cambodia."

But Rogers told the committee that it is likely "we will request additional funds" next year beyond the initial \$255 million for Cambodia unless major progress is made toward a negotiated settlement in Southeast Asia.

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Hope Post Office received an embargo on certain mail yesterday on the eve of the nationwide railway strike which appears as this is written to be over for a time...all mail for the following states will be accepted—Alabama, Arkansas, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Oklahoma, Tennessee and Texas...mail of 2nd, 3rd and 4th class will not be accepted until the strike is settled and railway workers return...first class and air mail will be accepted anywhere, according to Postmaster A. D. Brannan.

Twosomes representing the country's 53 top-rated conservation districts will participate in the Goodyear Soil Conservation Awards Program's 23rd grand prize tour beginning Saturday at Litchfield Park, Arizona...one the four-day schedule are tours of the 10,000 acre Goodyear Farms, scenic and historic sites in Arizona...competition is conducted on a statewide basis and winners are selected by independent committees of the states' con-

AP News Digest

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
WASHINGTON (AP) — Railroad workers have walked off the job in the third nationwide rail strike in half a century although Congress has passed an emergency law ordering them back to work with a partial pay raise. Action on the bill was completed after the strike deadline set by four unions that have been negotiating with the railroads for over a year. President Nixon signed the bill and appealed to the workers to return to the job, and a federal court issued an injunction ordering a delay of the strikes, but union leaders say they will remain out until agreement on a contract is reached.

Thousands of the nation's commuters were expected to be the first to feel the effects of the nationwide rail strike, but industrial slowdowns and stoppages and shortages of perishable food products and power were expected to develop as the strike continued.

SAIGON (AP) — The Saigon government has joined the Viet Cong government in rejecting U.S. talk of an extended cease-fire beginning with Christmas.

PARIS (AP) — The South Vietnamese government, at today's session of the Paris Peace Talks, has offered to release all its North Vietnamese prisoners of war immediately in exchange for all U.S. and other foreign prisoners held by the Communists and all South Vietnamese POWs held in North Vietnam, Laos or Cambodia.

Slayer Gets From 199 to 400 Years

WOODSTOCK, Ill. (AP) — Mark Smith, 20, of McHenry, Ill., was sentenced Wednesday to 199-400 years in prison for murdering two women, one on Jan. 27, 1970 and the other on May 27.

In addition to his plea of guilty to the two killings, Smith said in Circuit Court here that he had slain Mrs. Ovie Fay Ash, 26, in Mountain Home, Ark., Dec. 3, 1969.

Authorities said Smith will be taken to Arkansas for prosecution in the Ash killing, then returned to Illinois to serve his sentence.

Smith pleaded guilty to murdering Mrs. Jean Bianchi, 27, of McHenry and Jeannine Lingfelter, 17, also of McHenry.

servation leaders...Goodyear initiated the Soil Conservation Awards Program in 1947 and it encompasses all the state, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands...the purpose is to recognize achievements and to create public awareness of the urgency of protecting our land and water resources everywhere...representing Arkansas will be David D. Cummings of Patmos and Moss Rowe of Washington.

Two students from Prescott will perform with the Southern State College stage band in a concert tonight at 7 o'clock...the band, directed by George Massingale, will give a pop program...the Prescott students are Jim Fairchild, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gairchild and a senior music education major and Wilburn King, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. King and a freshman majoring in electrical engineering.

A lady calling in and reports that a cow belonging to Eugene Bobo, who lives south on the Lewisville Highway, had triplets.

New Measure Includes a Wage Hike

by NEIL GILBRIDE
AP Labor Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Striking trainmen paralyzed the rail system nationwide today although the ranks of the walkout showed signs of breaking in the first few hours.

Still, hundreds of thousands of suburban commuters had to find other ways to work and freight was stalled while three of four unions in the 500,000-man strike said they were canceling their strike orders.

The 200,000-member Brotherhood of Railway Clerks held out, saying nothing despite congressional and court bans on the strike, and a plea from President Nixon to stay on the job.

Spot checks showed members of the other three unions were honoring the clerks' picket lines.

Penn-Central spokesmen said they doubted anyone would come back until picket lines dissolved.

Overland passenger trains sat in Los Angeles terminals, nothing was happening with the Southern Pacific in Arizona and in Chicago 140,000 commuter switched to cars and buses for a way to work.

As for the clerks, their headquarters said an announcement of some sort would be made sometime later in the day. In Philadelphia a clerks leader said: "We're still on strike." In Cleveland some clerks were working under a court injunction, some were out.

A first indicator of the economic consequences of the strike was seen in West Virginia where 800 coal miners were turned away because of a coal car shortage. Spokesmen for the industry in the state said all 1,350 mines would be shut down by midnight Friday if the strike continues. Coal is fuel for heat and electricity in the nation's urban centers.

At the White House, press secretary Ronald L. Ziegler expressed optimism the clerks would join the three other unions in ordering their men back to work.

"We expect that the fourth union also will comply with the law," said Ziegler.

Rescinding strike orders were the United Transportation Union, the Brotherhood of Maintenance Way and the Hotel, Restaurant and Bartenders International, which represents dining car employees.

Said the dining car workers' president, Ed Miller: "It is the policy of this international union to obey the law."

Christmas Ceremony at Capitol

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Secretary of State Kelly Bryant said Wednesday that the annual Christmas lighting ceremony would be held on the steps of the state Capitol at 5:30 p.m. Saturday.

Bryant said the Arkansas Choral Society, under the direction of Glen Owens, would perform.

Campus Death Was Suicide

PINE BLUFF, Ark. (AP) — The gunshot death of Lloyd Donald Patterson, 19, of Greenview, Miss., on the Arkansas AM&N campus here last Thursday resulted from an accidentally self-inflicted wound, a State Police report says.

Willie Perkins, AN&N chief of security, said he agreed with the report, which said Patterson was shot with a .25-caliber pistol while with several friends.



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